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Scrap Book

Iva Lea Wann, left, state coordinator of the Title VII Nutrition Program, recently presented Beulah Cook, center, with the first place award and Thelma Sweeney, right, with the second place award, at the Indiana State Fair Senior Citizen Cookie Contest. Mrs. Cook and Mrs. Sweeney, residents of Charlestown, received blue ribbons at the Clark County 4-H Fair for their cookie entries.

TO PURCHASE BUS — A special grant from the Floyd County Economic Opportunity Corp. to the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged will provide a new bus for their use. Marion Nunemacher, left, acting director for the Floyd County E.O.C., presents a check for $4500 to Thelma Bertrand, executive director of the local council for the aging and aged. (Tribune Photo)

A surprise retirement dinner honoring James Hamilton was recently held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Odell Reed, Charlestown. Pictured from left, first row, are Garnett Reed, Ruby Hamilton, James Hamilton, honoree and Odell, Reed; second row, Mesdames Lynn Stone, Marie Cormican, Beth Sears and Joan Ansert; third row, Jack Stone, Millard Cormican, James Sears and Don Ansert.

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Food for elderly . . . Program brings

By JOE HOLWAGER
Courier-Journal Staff Writer

Many of Southern Indiana's elderly persons are eating better today because of a federal program that resembles a giant service club.

The elderly are gathering for lunch as Rotarians, Kiwanians and members of other clubs have for years — only they are doing it more often.

No membership is kept in this club, but some do wear pins like their lunchtime counterparts. The gold Roman numerals "VII" are worn proudly by some of the men and women.

The Title VII Nutrition Program for the Elderly was launched in Indiana on Oct. 8, 1973, when six meal sites were opened in New Albany, Jeffersonville, Charlestown and Corydon by the South Central Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc.

Now there are 123 meal sites throughout the state, and a daily average of 5,351 meals was served to the elderly last week. Approximately 350 of those meals were served at sites in the four-county area of the South Central Council, which has been expanded to include Scott in addition to Floyd, Clark and Harrison counties.

The Title VII program, an outgrowth of the Older Americans Act of 1965, was developed to provide older Americans, particularly those with low incomes, with low-cost, nutritionally sound meals. Of the nation's 28 million people over 60, an estimated 3.5 million require nutrition and supportive services, it was noted.

A planned fallout of the nutrition program has been the increased "socialization" experienced by the elderly who meet five days a week for lunch. Some of these persons had been virtual "shut-ins."

"It's a get-together," said Mrs. Esther Foster, 75, referring to the noon meals. Mrs. Foster lives in the Beechwood Court project of the New Albany Housing Authority and eats regularly at the Title VII meal site in the Beechwood Community Center.

"It's especially good for someone like myself," Mrs. Foster said. "I live alone. Most of us do — you know," she added,

Developing along with the meals program in the South-Central-Council area has been a wide variety of social activities, including card parties, games, ceramics and crafts classes, a series of speakers and musical entertainment, and outings, such as a recent trip by 135 older persons to Santa Claus, Ind.

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DONALD F. MILLER
General Manager

nutrition, socializing to older Hoosiers

Many of those eating at sites in New Albany and Jeffersonville last week said they would not have eaten a full meal that day if it were not for the Title VII program. They said they simply did not have enough money to eat properly after paying house payments or rent and utility bills out of fixed incomes, consisting largely of Social Security benefits.

Herbert Mills, 83, of Jeffersonville, lingered after having lunch at the Gilt Edge Baptist Church in Jeffersonville. He said that, in addition to his usual monthly bills and house payments, he pays $200 monthly to a nursing home, where his wife is confined. He said his income from two small pensions and Social Security comes to less than $348 monthly.

Mills walks from his home to the center almost every day that it is open, and after lunch he leaves with some leftovers which he eats for supper.

"I can't go in (to a grocery) and get what I want to eat," said Mills. "I get what's cheapest."

The suggested price for a meal at the South Central Council sites is 50 cents. Many pay less than this, however.

An attempt is made to keep secret how much a person pays for his meal through the use of small envelopes that the elderly hand in daily with an undisclosed amount of money, similar to weekly pledge envelopes at church.

Mary Lukemeier, South Central Title VII director, said an average of approximately 39 cents is received per meal from the recipients. This compares with a cost

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COOKIE CONTEST WINNERS — First place winners in the Senior Citizens Cookie contest at the Harrison County Fair are shown above. They are Jewel Conrad, Gay Lang, Mardell Rhodes, grand champion, Wilhelmena Turley, and Ambrosia Hughes. Wouldn't you like to get in their cookie jars?

EVENING NEWS, JEFFERSONVILLE, INDIANA SATURDAY OCTOBER 5, 1974

The Site Directors of the Title VII Nutrition Program held a meeting in Charlestown. Pictured from left, first row, are Mary Lukemeier, project director, Caroline Wells, Jeffersonville, Mary Carmickle, New Albany and Jane Roberts, Charlestown; second row, Jewell Conrad, Corydon, Esther Vigar, New Albany and Esther Newkirk, New Albany; third row, Elva Sanders, Corydon and Dorothey Linzay, Scottsburg; fourth row, Phyllis Abernathy, Jeffersonville, LaNora Resch, Jeffersonville and Jean Frickhoeffer, Charlestown.

Seniors Game For Fun

(Tribune Photo by Don Beck)

NUMBERS GAME — Jack Oberhausen, above, of New Albany concentrates on his bingo card as numbers are called. He was among over 300 senior citizens who played bingo as one of the indoor events of the annual week-long Senior Games.

AIRING TENSIONS — Esther Rhoads, of New Albany, seems relaxed as she floats her way to the finish line during the air matress swimming event at New Albany High School during the Senior Games. Rhoads placed second in the air mattress and inner tube events.
(Tribune Photo by Kathy Dougherty)

GOOD LUCK SHOES — Inez Bright of Jeffersonville throws one of her two horseshoes, while Polly Neimeier marks her scores during a Senior Games competition at Community Park.
(Tribune Photo by Kathy Dougherty)

GONE FISHIN' — New Albany resident Mary Riggins enjoys her little island spot to fish in the lake at Community Park while a flock of mallards approach her. Participating in the third annual Senior Games, Riggins said she's been involved every year.
(Tribune Photo by Kathy Dougherty)

TOSS 'O' THE BAG — Gene Constatine, a resident at Willow Brook Manor Nursing Home in Clarksville, tosses a bean bag at a target on the floor of Providence Retirement Home during the Senior Games.

(Tribune Photo by Kathy Dougherty)

SPORTS SCOREBOARD

Major League Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE
East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Baltimore	32	26	.552	—
Cleveland	29	31	.483	4
New York	29	31	.483	4
Milwaukee	29	32	.475	4½
Boston	27	31	.466	5
Toronto	26	34	.433	7
Detroit	24	36	.400	9

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Oakland	40	21	.656	—
California	36	23	.610	3
Kansas City	36	24	.600	3½
Texas	33	27	.550	6½
Seattle	30	33	.476	11
Minnesota	28	32	.467	11½
Chicago	22	40	.355	18½

Saturday's Games
Detroit 11, Toronto 8
Boston 14, New York 8
Seattle 3, Cleveland 1
Milwaukee 6, Baltimore 0
Kansas City 5, California 4
Minnesota 11, Chicago 8
Oakland 5, Texas 1
Sunday's Games
New York 4, Boston 2, 1st game
New York 8, Boston 7, 2nd game
Milwaukee 3, Baltimore 1
Seattle 6, Cleveland 3
Toronto 4, Detroit 0
Minnesota 5, Chicago 2
Kansas City 5, California 3
Oakland 5, Texas 1
Monday's Games
Detroit (Alexander 4-6) at Toronto (Cerutti 3-3), (n)
Cleveland (Yett 4-4) at Chicago (Rosenberg 1-2), (n)
Oakland (Welch 8-4) at Kansas City (Gubicza 6-4), (n)
California (Witt 3-6) at Texas (Jeffcoat 1-0), (n)
Only games scheduled

NATIONAL LEAGUE
East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Chicago	33	27	.550	—
Montreal	34	28	.548	—
St. Louis	30	28	.517	2
New York	30	29	.508	2½
Pittsburgh	23	35	.397	9
Philadelphia	21	37	.362	11

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Houston	37	25	.597	—
Cincinnati	35	25	.583	1
San Francisco	36	26	.581	1
Los Angeles	29	31	.483	7
San Diego	30	34	.469	8
Atlanta	24	37	.393	12½

Saturday's Games
Cincinnati 5, Los Angeles 0
San Francisco 1, San Diego 0
St. Louis 6, Chicago 0
Pittsburgh 6, New York 5
Montreal 9, Philadelphia 1
Houston 1, Atlanta 0
Sunday's Games
Montreal 7, Philadelphia 2
New York 6, Pittsburgh 1
St. Louis 10, Chicago 7
Houston 10, Atlanta 6
Los Angeles 3, Cincinnati 1
San Francisco 3, San Diego 1, 12 innings
Monday's Games
St. Louis (Terry 4-5) at Chicago (Sutcliffe 7-4)
New York (Gooden 7-2) at Pittsburgh (Smiley 5-2), (n)
Cincinnati (Mahler 8-5) at Los Angeles (Morgan 4-4), (n)
Only games scheduled

NA Parks Softball

TONIGHT'S SCHEDULE
MEN'S LEAGUES
Kenny Sinkhorn League
At Anderson #1
Bottom-Elliott Sign Co. vs. PSI, 7 p.m.; Doormats vs. High Park, 8 p.m.; Frische's Traveling All-Stars vs. Parks & Weisburg, 9 p.m.; Frische's Traveling All-Stars vs. PSI, 10 p.m.
Sweeney Mukes League
At Anderson #2
McDonald's vs. Huncilman, 7 p.m.; H.P.S.C. vs. Terry's Boys, 8 p.m.; Key Communications vs. American National Insurance, 9 p.m.; Key Communication vs. Huncilman, 10 p.m.
Denny Jenkins League
At Anderson #3
Chili's Longshots vs. Burger King-Grant Line, 7 p.m.; Pike Sluggers vs. Vic's Cafe, 8 p.m.; The Marketing Co. vs. Little Ceasar's, 9 p.m.; The Marketing Company vs. Vic's Cafe, 10 p.m.
WOMEN'S LEAGUES
D League
At Bicknell Park
Mike Smith's Standard vs. First So. Baptist, 7 p.m.; Wesley Chapal UMC vs. Wall Street Wonders, 8 p.m.; Russ' Lounge vs. First So. Baptist, 9 p.m.; Wesley Chapal vs. Russ' Lounge, 10 p.m.

NA Girls Summer Hoops Results

HARDEE'S	6	4	6	6=22
SUZUKI/YAMAHA	2	2	5	4=13

HARDEE'S—Holly Waterhouse 2, Jenny Wilkerson 2, Kary Pope 2, Dawn Schmidt 6, Gretchen Lefler 4, Susan Walters 2, Jackie Byrne 4. Coach Angie Hinton.
SUZUKI/YAMAHA—Julie Tucker 3, Jennifer Jones 4, Lori Thomas 2, Suzan Cahill 2, Danelle Biggs 2. Coach Nick Scott.

JIM'S GUN ROOM	5	10	11	12=38
ASHLEY LITHO	6	15	8	8=37

JIM'S GUN ROOM—LuAnn Atz 5, Debbie Raleigh 2, Laura White 5, Amy Parker 10, Christie Sandullo 4, Jenny Byrne 2, Angie Gresham 8. Coach Jenny Leist.
ASHLEY LITHO—Cassie Sipes 4, Jessica Stein 2, Holly Pickett 11, Lisa Berryman 12, Carrie Summerville 2, Trish Day 6. Coach Bob Jones.

Girls' All-State Softball Team

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — The coaches' 1989 Indiana high school girls' All-State softball team:
Lynne Suroviak, Lake Central
Jennifer Cole, Valparaiso
Margo Wiltfong, Merrillville
Laurie Wilson, S.Bend LaSalle
Dawn Hoover, Elkhart Central
Angie Quickery, DeKalb
Tammy Coan, Indpls Arlington
Virginia Sanders, Indpls Roncalli
Amy Timble, Indpls N.Central
Mychaela Brandle, Pendleton Hts.
Janet Meeker, Greenfield
Stacey Wilson, Shenandoah
Amy Aronson, Bedford N.Lawrence
Melanie Austin, Pike Central
Lisa Kauchak, New Albany

Transactions

BASEBALL
American League
BALTIMORE ORIOLES—Placed Mark Huismann, pitcher, on the 15-day disabled list. Recalled Jose Bautista, pitcher, from Rochester of the International League.
CHICAGO WHITE SOX—Signed Frank Thomas, first baseman.
CLEVELAND INDIANS—Acquired Brian Brooks, outfielder, from the San Diego Padres for future considerations and assigned him to Kinston of the Carolina League.
KANSAS CITY ROYALS—Activated George Brett, first baseman, from the 21-day disabled list. Placed Gary Thurman, outfielder, on the 15-day disabled list.
MINNESOTA TWINS—Signed Todd Logan, Joe Siwa and Francisco Ramirez, catchers.
NEW YORK YANKEES—Placed Clay Parker, pitcher, on the 15-day disabled list, retroactive to June 10.

Mattingly's Bat Lifts Yankees By Boston; Houston Stays Hot

By The Associated Press

Don Mattingly is getting into the swing and, not surprisingly, so are the New York Yankees.

Mattingly homered twice and drove in six runs Sunday as the Yankees swept a doubleheader from the Boston Red Sox, 4-2 and then 8-7.

MATTINGLY

"This day was significant. We wanted to show we could sweep, not just split," said Mattingly, who hit a pair of two-run homers in the second game.

The Yankees have won three of their last four outings and improved to 29-31, tied for second place in the American League East.

With Dave Winfield possibly out for the season, Mattingly has taken on an extra burden in the Yankees' lineup. He started slowly, going 28-for-120 (.233) in his first 31 games, but has gone 39-for-107 (.364) in his last 26 games.

Royals 5, Angels 3 — Bob Boone, who left California last winter as a free agent, hit his first home run of the season as Kansas City completed a three-game sweep at home.

Brewers 3, Orioles 1 — Pinch hitter Rob Deer doubled home the tie-breaking run in the ninth inning at Baltimore.

Blue Jays 4, Tigers 0 — Mike Flanagan and Duane Ward combined on a four-hitter for Toronto. The Tigers, whose .238 average is the lowest in the league, were shut out for the fifth time this season.

Twins 5, White Sox 2 — Kirby Puckett hit a two-run single for his first RBIs in two weeks, sending Allan Anderson and Minnesota over Chicago.

Anderson, 7-4, gave up two runs on eight hits in seven-plus innings.

Mariners 6, Indians 3 — Brian Holman got his first AL victory, Gene Harris his first major-league save and Bill McGuire his first major-league home run as Seattle won at Cleveland.

Athletics 5, Rangers 1 — Dave Parker and Mark McGwire hit successive homers in the sixth inning and Mike Moore combined with two relievers on a three-hitter.

National League

Now that the Houston Astros have shown they can do it at home, they'll try to keep winning on the road.

"We have to continue to score early and give our pitchers something to work with. If we can continue to do that, we'll be all right," Astros manager Art Howe said Sunday after Houston rode a seven-run second inning to a 10-6 victory over the Atlanta Braves.

Houston has won six straight and 16 of 17.

Cardinals 10, Cubs 7 — Ozzie Smith had the first five-hit game of his career and the Cardinals rallied for eight runs in the seventh to win their fifth straight.

St. Louis had 10 hits in the inning off four Cubs pitchers.

Tom Brunansky drove in three runs in the seventh with a two-run homer and an RBI single.

Mets 6, Pirates 1 — Bob Ojeda pitched a six-hitter and Len Dykstra hit a two-run homer as New York ended a three-game losing streak.

Dodgers 3, Reds 1 - Mike Davis had a two-run single in the third, ending a streak of 23 consecutive scoreless innings for Los Angeles and giving him his second hit in 32 at-bats.

Tim Leary, 5-4, allowed five hits in eight innings and Jay Howell finished the combined six-hitter for his 12th save.

Giants 3, Padres 1 — Will Clark hit a two-out, two-run homer off Mark Davis in the 12th inning, sending San Diego to its sixth straight loss and ninth in 10 games.

With two outs in the 12th, Robby Thompson singled to deep shortstop off Davis, 2-3. Clark hit the next pitch for his 11th home run this season.

Expos 7, Phillies 2 — Pascual Perez allowed three hits in eight innings and Tim Wallach drove in three runs for Montreal.

Perez, 3-7, struck out five and walked five. Tim Burke pitched a one-hit ninth.

Sports Trivia

Today's Question
Q. In the 1952 World Series, this big right hander lifted his Brooklyn Dodgers past the New York Yankees in Game 1, 4-2. The win marked the first time a black pitcher had ever recorded a win in a World Series. Can you name this pitcher?
Yesterday's Answer
Q. Former St. Louis Cardinals Bob Gibson turned in one of the most memorable World Series pitching performances ever in the 1968 Series against the Detroit Tigers. Gibson won two games, including a record 17-strikeout performance in the opener. What Detroit pitcher topped Gibson with three victories, including the win in the decisive seventh game?
A. Mickey Lolich. The portly left hander equalled a Word Series record with three complete-game victories as Detroit overcame the Cardinals' 3-1 Series edge for the Tigers' first World Series crown since 1945.

Churchill Downs Entries

Tuesday's Entries

FIRST POST 3:30 p.m.
FIRST — $6,500. mdn. clmg. ($12500-$10000) (plus $1220 KDOTB) 3YO up, 7 f.

PP	HORSE	JOCKEY	WHT.
1	Patriot's Charlie (No Rider)		112
2	a-Profit Commission (No Rider)		112
3	b-Citizen (Melancon)		112
4	a-At The Finis (No Rider)		109
5	Sylvester's Double (No Rider)		109
6	Gadds Hill (Johnston)		xxx102
7	Male Chauvinist (St. Leon)		112
8	Bob's Resort (Johnson)		112
9	B.S. Schwag (St. Leon)		112
10	Paris Gaurd (Day)		109
11	Jungle Sabre (McDowell)		109
12	El Cimo (Guffy)		122
13	War Tiger (Miller)		112
14	Evening Shift (Bruin)		112
15	Mr. Grumbles (Miller)		112
16	b-Devil In His Eyes (Sides)		112

Coupled: a-Frances C. Scott-Raymond Bell, Coupled: b-Dale H. Scherer-Sundance Stable

SECOND — $5,000. clmg. ($4000) (plus $1220 KDOTB) 4YO up, 1 mi.

1	Bid Made (Bruin)	118
2	Rays Irish Word (St. Leon)	112
3	Tony Legs (Deegan)	112
4	Jes Burning Round (Sides)	112
5	Dark Dare (Johnston)	xxx105
6	Sam 'N The Duck (Miller)	112
7	a-Set Target (Pennisi)	112
8	Patsy's Roar (McDowell)	112
9	Leading Gesture (St. Leon)	112
10	Steal Base (Bruin)	118
11	Humblest (No Rider)	112
12	Smashing Hit (Pennisi)	118
13	General Stoll (Frazier)	112
14	Gimme Space (Deegan)	112
15	Fifty Ways (Bruin)	115
16	a-Such Class (Pennisi)	112

Coupled: a-Harlene Wigginton-John H. Berry, Tom Holderfeld & Lawrence Telle

THIRD — $12,500. clmg. ($17500-$15000) (plus $1220 KDOTB) 4YO up, 6 1/2 f.

1	Pajab (McDowell)	117
2	Burglar Alarm (Garcia)	117
3	Cornstalk Road (No Rider)	117
4	a-Tiger Mill (Bruin)	112
5	Sonny's Screen (Solomone)	117
6	Nik's Okay (D'Amico)	121
7	Hey Pat (Day)	117
8	a-Mountain Flight (Bartram)	117

Coupled: a-ROC II Stable-Lakemont Stable

FOURTH — $9,500. mdn. clmg. ($30,000-$20,000) (plus $1220 KDOTB) f, 2YO, 5 1/2 f.

1	Donna Best Way (Miller)	114
2	Matrimonial (McDowell)	118
3	Poplar Beau (Deegan)	118
4	Nana's Niece (Deegan)	115
5	Jim's Quiz (Pennisi)	114
6	Viva La Femme (Woods)	118
7	a-Feigned Affection (McKnight)	118
8	b-Cutie (Bruin)	114
9	a-Debutante Madam (Bruin)	118
10	Martha Nell (St. Leon)	118
11	b-Pluie's Choice (No Rider)	114
12	Your Gold (Day)	118

Coupled: a-Tom Hammond & Mark Casse-Robert J. Wilson, Coupled: b-Jeanne Sheets-Rapid Stable

FIFTH — $13,000. clmg. ($18500-$16500) (plus $1220 KDOTB) f&m, 4YO up, 1 1/16 mi.

1	Pattie Slew (McDowell)	114
2	Satin To Silk (D'Amico)	116
3	Barony (No Rider)	116
4	Capture The Gray (Melancon)	116
5	Sqaw Valley (Pennisi)	112
6	Wisp Of Smoke (Miller)	112
7	No Accountant (Troilo)	120

SIXTH — $9,500. clmg. ($10000-$9000) (plus $1220 KDOTB) f&m, 4YO up, 6 f.

1	Lady Neuwick (Johnston)	xxx106
2	Sassy N Brassy (No Rider)	114
3	Young Mandy (Johnson)	116
4	It's All Even (No Rider)	112
5	Lady Ryder (D'Amico)	116
6	Charming Missy (Jordan)	x111
7	Welcome Weather (Bartram)	116
8	Della Belle (Miller)	116
9	Sahara Sizzle (McDowell)	116
10	Fanny's Fortune (Garcia)	116

SEVENTH — $20,000. alwc. (plus $1220 KDOTB and $6000 KTDF) 3YO ff. 1 1/16 mi.

1	The Count (Smith)	118
2	Andover Man (Bruin)	115
3	Captain Savy (Day)	121
4	One That Got Away (McKnight)	118
5	Reaffirming (Allen)	121
6	Sure (No Rider)	112
7	Prince Randi (McDowell)	115
8	Far Up East (No Rider)	112

EIGHTH — $21,000. alwc. (plus $1200 KDOTB and $6300 KTDF) f&m, 3YO up, 6 f.

1	Gallant Ryder (Bass)	119
2	Jessica's Pet (Humphrey)	115
3	Sheena Native (Solomone)	119
4	Wonders Delight (Allen)	112
5	Raging Lady (Day)	122
6	Rita S. (St. Leon)	122
7	Stop The Band (No Rider)	115

NINTH — $13,000. mdn. (plus $1220 KDOTB and $3900 KTDF) 3YO up, 6 1/2 f.

1	Baggage Boy (St. Leon)	111
2	Domelexta (Wolf)	x106
3	Sefa's Music (Hill)	111
4	Melbourne Way (Bryan)	121
5	Breeze Ezy (No Rider)	111
6	Polka (Smith)	111
7	Wolfie (No Rider)	111
8	Peruna (Miller)	111
9	Sidway (Sides)	111
10	Bold Charm (McDowell)	111
11	Game Fellow (No Rider)	111
12	Data Prince (Bass)	111
13	Arctic Dancer (Day)	111
14	Alastriker (Miller)	111
15	Agitating Everett (No Rider)	121
16	Tuneupthebagpipe (Johnson)	111

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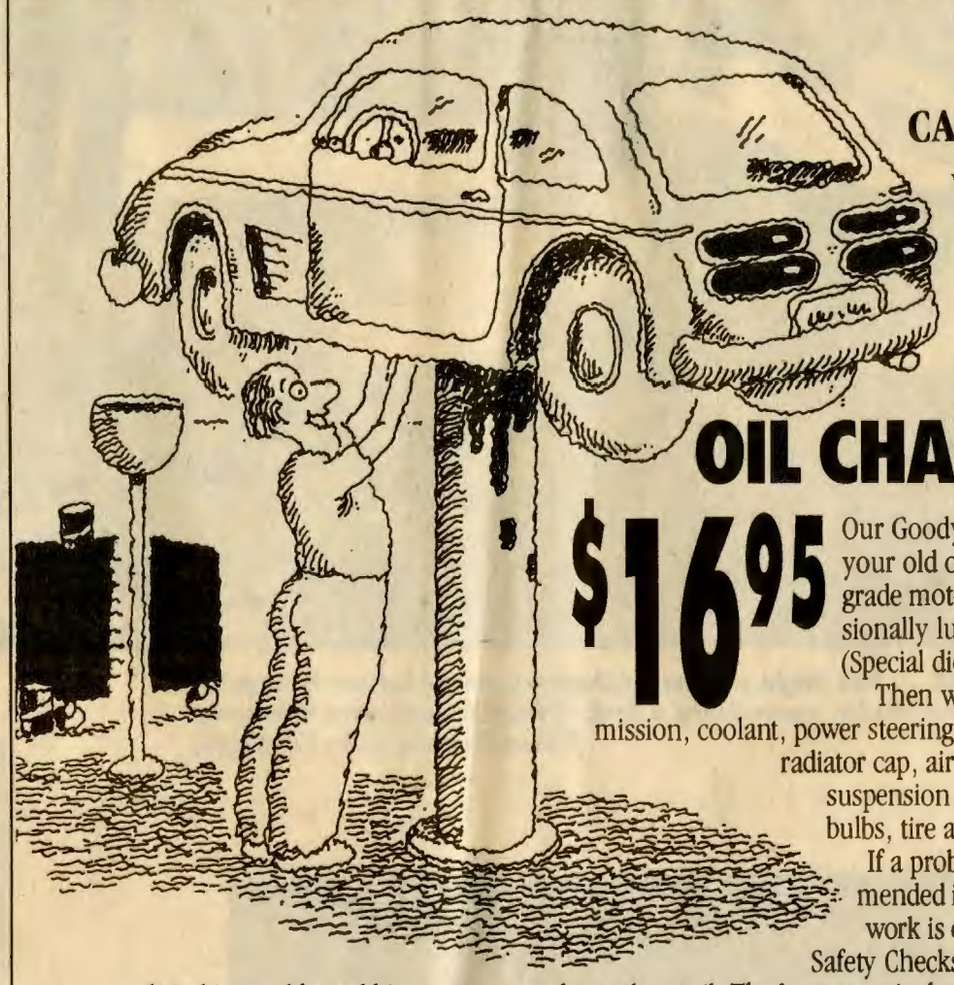
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Variety to spice Laconia Fourth of July parade

Laconia's Fourth of July Festival parade will be "without equal" in our area this year, according to Ray Hammond of the South Central Recreation Club, festival sponsors.

The 11 a.m. parade will include an appearance of "Big Bird" from WKPC-TV in Louisville, and the American Turnes of Louisville, presenting their Turnerettes and Turner Girls gym team.

The Turner group, composed of 20 girls, will present a series of intricate marching manuevers, some utilizing hand-held pompons.

North Vernon will send their miniature circus, presented by the John and Janie West Show. The circus will be on display following the parade.

Exhibitions set

Also included will be the Falls of the Ohio Muzzle Loaders from Georgetown. At 2:30 p.m. there will be a muzzle loaders firing and tommyhawk throwing exhibition. Some neighboring communities will be represented in the parade, including units from Jeffersonville, New Albany and Clarksville.

Two of the biggest units this year will be the Tri-County Shriners of Jeffersonville and antique cars from the Hoosier Knobs Classic Antique Restorers. Shriners will be represented by their motor cycle patrol, clown unit, dune buggies and dune cat.

Approximately 16 antique cars will drive in the parade, and will be on display afterwards. Honored Senior Citizens, including Ray Boone, Maurice Crosier, Lillian Ashton and Meg Frankes, will ride in the antique cars. Each of these citizens are all from the Laconia area and are 85 years of age or older.

Civil War cannon

According to Hammond, Battery "B" of the First Kentucky Army of the Confederacy will be of special interest to the South Central area. Hailing from Sheperdsville, Ky., eight men in confederate uniforms are expected to escort their float, which will hold a Civil War cannon and mortar, followed by another cannon.

There will also be a color guard from the Marines and Army as well as a unit from the Jeffersonville Army Reserve, along with local floats, volunteer fire departments, marching units and horse units. Hammond noted parade observers should arrive early, due to the size of the event, and S. R. 11 will be closed for at least one hour from 11 a.m. to noon.

Special festival attractions will include Bob Logan, Wizard of Magic, to be presented at 4:30 p.m. on the festival stage, and flea markets . The magic show is sponsored by Bennett Realty Co. of Jeffersonville. Hammond said more space is available for flea markets for a $4 fee. Those interested should contact Mary Funk at 969-2547.

As a prelude to the festival there will be a hymn sing on June 30 at 7 p.m. in the Laconia Grade School.

The timetable:

11 a.m. to noon — Festival parade on S. R. 11.

Noon — Barbeque chicken dinner, Laconia Grade School; flea markets open; arts and crafts; miniature circus; food booths open; hay ride starts; antique car show, and parade floats on display, all at festival grounds.

Also at noon, there will be a Coast Guard boat cruise on the Ohio, and the baby contest on stage.

12:30 p.m. — Motorcycle competition, festival grounds.

12:45 p.m. — Gumnastics show, on stage.

1 p.m. — Parade awards announced on stage; horseshoe pitching, festival grounds, and puppet show on stage.

1:30 p.m. — Queen and princess contests, on stage.

2 p.m. — Gymkhana horse show, horse grounds.

2:30 p.m. — Muzzle loaders shooting and tommyhawk throwing exhibitions, festival grounds.

3 p.m. — Soap box derby, Main Street.

4 p.m. — Puppet show, on stage.

4:30 p.m. — Magic show, on stage.

5 p.m. — Pipe smoking contest, on stage.

6 p.m. — Music, on stage.

7 p.m. — Tractor pull, festival grounds.

8 p.m. — Square Dance, Laconia Grade School gymnasium.

9:30 p.m. — Fireworks, festival grounds.

Ninth District Congressman Lee Hamilton will be in Laconia for the festival at 1 p. m.

The Rev. David W. Marshall, pastor of the Elizabeth Church of the Covenant, will appear on Channel 32's "Rap it Up" program Friday morning at 10:55 a. m. to talk about the festival. Rev. Marshall is substituting for Tom Cunningham, chief organizer of the festival the past few years, who had prior commitments.

Special treat for hot lunch program

A special treat is in store Wednesday, July 17, for participants in the Title VII nutrition (hot lunch) program for the elderly. On that day, after the folks have had their meal at the Christian Church in Corydon, they will be entertained by The Sharps.

The Sharps, says their sponsor and teacher, Robert Montgomery are "a combo of youngsters who like to play everywhere and anywhere."

Tom Richardson of Georgetown is the musical group's leader. Others include his sister, Carla, Anita Boyd of Galena, Jason Hubbard of Elizabeth and David Brengman of Lanesville.

Here is the hot lunch menu for the week of July 15 to 19:

Monday: Meat loaf, cauliflower with cheese sauce, lettuce and tomato salad, rye bread and pumpkin pie.

Tuesday: Fried chicken, baked potato with sour cream, Italian squash, white bread and ice cream.

Wednesday: Pork roast, sauer kraut, mashed potatoes, corn bread and pudding.

Thursday: Liver sauteed with gravy, mashed potatoes, broccoli and cheese sauce, rye bread and fresh oranges.

Friday: Baked fish, au grautin potatoes, cole slaw, corn bread and cake.

For reservations, call 948-8873.

Laconia 4th of July

Something for everybody. This is the theme and guide for participation in the Laconia Fourth of July Festival on Thursday of next week.

The South Central festivals at Elizabeth and Laconia the past few years have grown until the South County festival is one of the biggest events in Harrison County each summer.

With a number of new features added this year the Laconia Fourth of July Festival next week promises to be, as professional promoters usually say, "Bigger and better." And this seems to be justified.

One thing is for sure. The purpose for which proceeds from the festival are intended deserves attention. The south county park is expected to be implemented soon, and the funds from the Laconia Fourth of July Festival, as were the funds from the former festivals at Laconia and Elizabeth, are important in the efforts toward making the county park a reality.

Not only the dinner, which will be well worth the price, but the trophies, the parade, the wheel gymkhana contest, the lawn tractor pull contest, square dance, fireworks display, articles in the booths, princess contest activities with the pretty girls to be seen and admired, and other phases of the great south county Independence Day festival, will prove to be features everyone in the county will enjoy.

—Robert P. O'Bannon

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The Jeffersonville Jaycees recently sponsored a "1974 Senior Citizens Queen Pageant." Pictured above, seated, Bessie Stricker, queen; standing, pictured from left are Ada Egan, second runner-up and Beulah Cook, first runner-up. The pageant was held in Jeffersonville.

THE EVENING NEWS, JEFFERSONVILLE, INDIANA TUESDAY, JULY 30, 1974

Senior Citizens Win Cookie Awards

The Senior Citizens Cookie Contest held recently was co-sponsored by the Floyd County Extension Homemakers and the Title VII Nutrition Program of the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc. in cooperation with the Floyd County 4-H Corporation.

The Championship Award for the contest was won by Esther Newkirk for her Coconut Cookies.

First place winners were: Stella Konkle, for her Persimmon Drop Cookies; Viola Engleman, for her Coconut Kisses; Irma Michel, for Diabetic Peanut Butter Cookies; and Evelyn Utley, for her Cream Cheese Cookies.

These recipes are sure to delight the taste buds.

Coconut Cookies
1 cup white sugar
¼ c. dark brown sugar
½ c. soft butter
1⅛ c. sifted plain flour
¼ tsp. salt
1 tsp. vanilla
¼ tsp. soda
1 c. flake coconut

Sift dry ingredients and add coconut. Set aside. Cream sugar and butter well. Add beaten egg. Add dry mixture to sugar, butter and egg mixture and mix thoroughly. Drop by teaspoonful 2 inches apart on a lightly greased cookie sheet. Bake 8-10 minutes at 375 degrees. Nuts or fruit may be substituted for coconut.

Persimmon Drop Cookies
1 stick butter
1 c. granulated sugar
1 c. persimmon puree
1 egg
½ tsp. soda
¼ tsp. salt
½ tsp. cinnamon
½ tsp. cloves
tsp. nutmeg
2 c. flour
1 c. chopped dates
1 c. chopped nuts
1 tbsp. milk

Cream butter and sugar; add puree, egg and milk. Sift together dry ingredients and add dates and nuts. Add dry ingredients to creamed mixture. Mix well. Drop on greased cookie sheet by teaspoonsful. Bake at 350 degrees for 15-20 minutes.

Cream together butter, cream cheese, sugar, salt, and vanilla. Add egg and milk and beat well. Add flour and stir in coconut. Drop by teaspsoon onto ungreased cookie sheet. Top with walnuts (halves). Bake in slow oven 325 degrees for about 20 minutes. Makes about 5 dozen cookies (small).

CONTEST WINNERS — Esther Newkirk, second from the left, displays her Coconut Cookies from the Senior Citizens Cookie Contest during which she won the Championship Award. First place winners from left are, Stella Konkle, Viola Engleman and Irma Michel. First place winner Evelyn Utley was not present for the picture. These winners will compete at the Indiana State Fair in Indianapolis, August 17. The contest was co-sponsored by the Floyd County Extension Homemakers and Title VII Nutrition Program of the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc. in cooperation with the Floyd County 4-H Corporation.

Coconut Kisses
½ c. egg whites
1¼ c. sugar
¼ tsp. salt
½ tsp. vanilla
2½ c. flaked coconut
¼ c. chopped nuts (optional)

Beat egg whites until foamy. Gradually add sugar continuing to beat until very stiff and glossy. Stir in remaining ingredients. Drop by teaspoonsful 2 inches apart on greased cookie sheet. Bake in 325 degree oven for 20 minutes. Makes 3 dozen cookies.

Diabetic Peanut Butter Cookies
½ c. milk
2/3 stick margarine
1 heaping tablespoon peanut butter
1 tsp. vanilla
1 tbsp. artificial sweetener
1½ c. quick oats
1 c. nuts (optional)

Combine milk, margarine, peanut butter and sweetener i a saucepan and bring to a boil. Add quick oats and cook 1 minute. Add vanilla, and nuts if wanted. Drop by teaspoonsful on plate and press a pecan half in the center.

Cream Cheese Cookies
1 cup butter or oleo
1 cup sugar
1 tsp. vanilla
2 tbsps. milk
½ cup toasted flaked coconut
2 3-oz. pkgs. creamed cheese, softened
tsp. salt
1 egg
2 cups sifted flour

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ENTERTAIN — Members of the Fidelity Class of First Baptist Church entertained residents of the Lincoln Hills Nursing Home recently with a Halloween party. From left are, Edgar Murphy, from First Baptist; Ester Richardson, resident; Audrey Murphy, First Baptist; Clara Day, resident; and Margaret Bishop, activities director at the nursing home. (Tribune Photo)

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FLOWER ARRANGING — Attending the special flower arranging session of the National Secretaries Club held recently are from left, Christine Rickey, treasurer; Hilda Marshall, recording secretary; George Nance of Nance Floral Shop, presenting the demonstration; Norma Hess, bulletin chairman; and Melba Harshey, Indiana division treasurer. (Tribune Photo)

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WINS AWARD — BPW president Peggy Utz, left, presents the 17th annual Business and Professional Women's Club "Woman of Achievement" award to Thelma Bertrand, center, director of South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc. Mrs. Bertrand was sponsored by the Falls of the Ohio Women's Club of New Albany and Council on the Aging and Aged. On the right is Dr. Claudia Crump, Assoc. Professor of Education at Indiana University Southeast, and guest speaker at the annual award luncheon held Satur[illegible] day at the New Albany C[illegible] try Club. (Tribune Pho[illegible]

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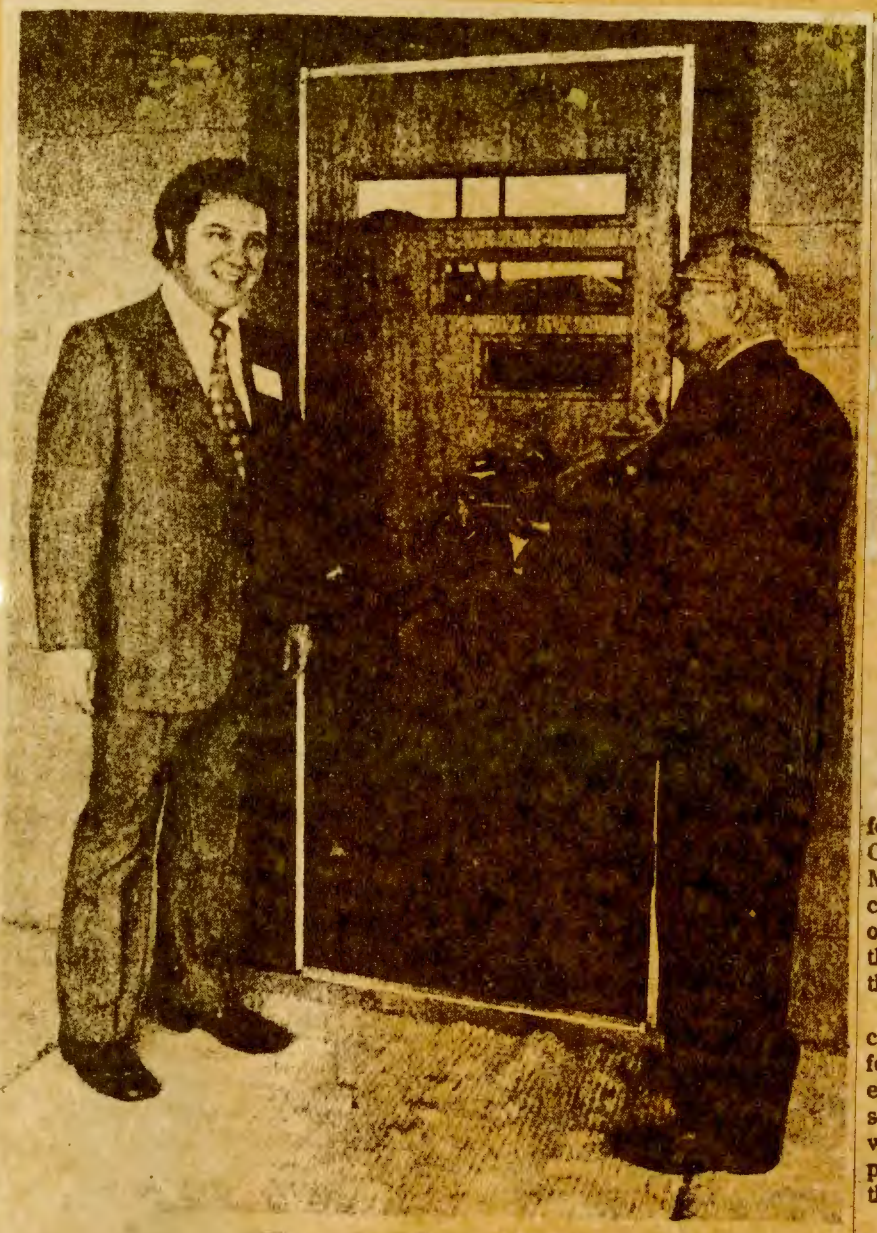

Watch this, judge

While Judge Scott T. Miller stands nearby, Joe Rhoads prepares to snip the ribbon Thursday at the dedication of the new Harrison County Senior Citizens Center in Corydon. Over 215 people attended the program. (See feature on page one, Sec. B.)

Two Joes applauded

Seniors citizens dedicate new center in Corydon

Over 215 people were on hand Thursday for the dedication of the new Harrison County Senior Citizens Center at 123 S. Mulberry in Corydon. The much-needed center, which is tentatively scheduled to open Saturday, was made possible through the financial generosity of Joe Rhoads and the capable planning of Joe Stepro.

The center, which will eventually include three buildings, will provide a place for the Title VII nutrition program for the elderly each weekday at noon, recreation, social gatherings, workshops for woodworking and sewing, and a free meeting place for other organized groups from throughout Harrison County.

It will be open, tentatively from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Monday through Friday and weekends whenever it's needed. Stepro, the managing director of the center, who has masterminded the project along with Rhoads' "sidewalk supervising," said, "It'll develop as we go along." Before too long, they expect the center to be open on weekends.

Rhoads established the center as a non-profit corporation, and Mrs. Jewell Conrad has been named site director. The center leases, for $1 a year, the buildings from the May and Joe Rhoads Memorial Fund Inc. Rhoads has put about $200,000 into the project through his two foundations.

At the dedication ceremonies last week Rhoads and Stepro were spotlighted and praised for their unselfish efforts to establish the center, and both received plaques which will hang in the remodeled buildings (formerly the Jay Curts residence and heating and air-conditioning shop). Ms. Jackie Cox, the new RSVP director, said to the many elderly people in attendance, "You have so much to give. I hope you'll share it."

Mrs. Velda Wolfe, who presented an American Flag from the VFW Ladies Auxiliary, summed up the attitude of the large crowd there when she said, "I think it's a wonderful, wonderful thing" for Harrison County. The center also received gifts from the Old Capital Bank and Trust Co. and The Corydon State Bank.

JOE RHOADS (left) who provided the financial support for the Harrison County Senior Citizens Center, and Joe Stepro, who did the planning and administrative work, were honored with plaques at the dedication ceremonies Thursday afternoon.

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Meals served weekdays at Christian Church

Special nutrition program for the elderly begins Oct. 8

A special nutrition program for the elderly will begin Oct. 8 at the Corydon Christian Church, it was announced recently by Harrison Circuit Court Judge Eugene E. Feller.

Hot nutritious meals will be served each day at 12 Noon, Monday through Friday, to any person 60 years and older from throughout the county. In addition, "supporting social services" such as outreach, transportation, personal escorts, information and referral, health and welfare counseling, nutrition education, shopping assistance and recreation will be offered.

Income is not a factor. If the participant is able to pay for all or part of the meal, the money will be used to expand the program. If the recipient cannot pay, he is still eligible and encouraged to come.

The Title Seven grant is being administered through the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc., which represents Region 14 B (Harrison, Clark and Floyd counties). Mrs Thelma Bertrand of New Albany is the executive director

Mrs John Feiock, director of Neighborhood Services, which is connected with the Lincoln Hills Development Corp., is a member of the council's board of directors. Mrs. Velda Wolfe Mrs. Catherine Brandenburg and the Rev. Mr. Allen Binkbiner (Harrison County's welfare department director) are members of the advisory committee.

The Title Seven Advisory Committee is represented by Mrs. Sam Byerly, Mrs. Helen Haggard, Jack Washburn, Lt. Col. Alliene Ehalt and the Rev. Mr. Ellis Cowling, pastor of the Corydon Christian Church.

Mrs. Feiock said the council on aging has operated on the state level for several years. However, Congress recently passed legislation allowing for release of Title Seven money for the nutrition program.

'More than a meal program'

"It's more than a meal program," Mrs. Feiock said. "One of the main things is the social aspect." The group will gather at the church between 11 a. m. and perhaps 2 p. m. After lunch, the people will break up into small groups and pursue particular interests.

"One paid hostess over age 60 will coordinate all the activities," she said. The participants will plan their own programs.

The Senior Citizens Club which was formed over a year ago and has been meeting at the Christian Church, is independent of the nutrition program, but members have been involved in the planning. Some of them plan to eat lunch at the church.

It is expected that about 51 meals will be served initially, but Mrs. Feiock said the program is flexible. "For every 2½ people who pay, another can eat free."

For those who do not drive, transportation will be provided with volunteer help. A Headstart bus, when it's not being used by that program, may be available. (Headstart is currently up in the air. The State Fire Marshall's office last week ordered the program closed at the Corydon United Methodist Church. The program for youngsters will be held at the Christian Church if the fire marshal approves.)

Mrs. Helen Haggard will coordinate the volunteer effort in Harrison County. Volunteers are needed and encouraged to call her.

Meals will be catered each day by Tommy Lancaster's resturant in New Albany, using a Lincoln Hills van and an Operation Mainstream driver. It is expected, Mrs Feiock said, that a local catering service will be employed later to save money and provide more meals.

The federal government is offering the program as a result of a survey on the needs of older people. Results indicated that some do not eat adequately because they lack the knowledge or skills to select and prepare nourishing and well-balanced meals, have limited mobility, have feelings of isolation or a restricted income

Anyone who would like to help can contact Mrs. Feiock, the Rev. Mr. Cowling, Mrs. Haggard or Lt. Col. Ehalt.

Volunteers are needed to help serve food, transport the older folks and assist in the supporting services. Title Seven guidelines stress the importance of community support.

The Altrusa Club of Jeffersonville held its November meeting with members of the community service committee providing the entertainment. Pictured from left, seated, are Gleedice Anderson, president; Frances Paxton, sponsor member and Eva Spellman, sponsor member; standing, Vivian Haun, a member of the community service committee; Mary Lukemeier, Title VII Nutrition Program Director and Marjorie Fitzpatrick and Catherine Schimpff, members of the community service committee.

Plenty of Good Food Planned for Elderly

The nutrition program for the elderly announced for January by Project Director Mary Lukemeier, will be amply appetizing.

The month's menu follows:

Monday, Jan. 6 -- Fried chicken, au grautin potatoes, kale greens, rye bread, fruit jello, butter and milk.

Tuesday, Jan. 7 -- Meat loaf, mashed potatoes, broccoli with cheese sauce, corn bread, custard pie, butter and milk.

Wednesday, Jan. 8 -- Fried chicken livers, baked potato with sour cream, corn, white bread, apricots, butter and milk.

Thursday, Jan. 9 -- Roast beef with gravy, mixed vegetables, pineapple chunks, white bread, cup cake, butter and milk.

Friday, Jan. 10 -- Macaroni and cheese, green beans, stewed tomatoes, corn bread, ice cream, butter and milk.

Monday, Jan. 13 -- Black eyed peas with ham, buttered carrots, tossed salad, rye bread, ice cream, butter and milk.

Tuesday, Jan. 14 -- Roast sirloin of beef with brown sauce, cauliflower with cheese sauce, lima beans, white bread, pineapple chunks, butter and milk.

Wednesday, Jan. 15 -- Fried chicken, baked potato with sour cream, spinach, rye bread, fruit jello, butter and milk.

Thursday, Jan. 16 -- Sauteed liver with gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, white bread, cake, butter and milk.

Friday, Jan. 17 -- Surf-O-Patty, cole slaw, peas, corn bread, lemon pie, butter and milk.

Monday, Jan. 20 -- Chopped sirloin patty with gravy, cauliflower with cheese sauce, kale greens, rye bread, pumpkin pie, butter and milk.

Tuesday, Jan. 21 -- Fried chicken, baked potato with sour cream, cooked cabbage, white bread, fruit salad, butter and milk.

Wednesday, Jan. 22 -- Pork roast, sauer kraut, mashed potatoes, corn bread, pudding, butter and milk.

Thursday, Jan. 23 -- Bar-B-Que beef, mashed potatoes, broccoli, chopped, hamburger bun, fresh orange, butter and milk.

Friday, Jan. 24 -- Tuna casserole, lima beans, carrot salad, corn bread, cake, butter and milk.

Monday, Jan. 27 -- Roast beef, mashed potatoes, green beans, rye bread, pineapple chunks, butter and milk.

Tuesday, Jan. 28 -- Meat loaf, cheese cauliflower, spinach, white bread, coconut cream pie, butter and milk.

Wednesday, Jan. 29 -- Sauteed liver, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, white bread, apricots, butter and milk.

Thursday, Jan. 30 -- Fried chicken, kale greens, fruit jello, rye bread, and ice cream.

Friday, Jan. 31 -- Fried fish with tartar sauce, buttered broccoli, diced carrots, corn bread, cup cake, butter and milk.

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Low-Keyed Life Of Elderly Couple Has Its High Points

By VICKIE GOHMANN

On the night before Christmas last year, George Nai now 79, suffered a heart attack. Since he and his wife lack any means of transportation except what is offered by friends, George had to walk to the doctor's office.

From their small home at 817 West 8th St. the trip to East 10th and Spring was a long one.

George spent a week in the coronary care unit of Memorial Hospital and then he shuffled home.

From beneath plastic-covered nativity figurines in their tiny living room-bedroom George pulled out a small transistor radio. "A lady uptown fetched it to me when I was in the hospital. She fetched me up a plate of fruit too." George's green eyes are nearly expressionless and his stooped figure would find it difficult to 'jump for joy' but a happy air surrounds him and his wife.

HOME SWEET HOME

This past summer she fell and broke her hip and had a pin put in the joint. When Mrs. Nail was brought home after nearly a month's stay in the hospital she sighed a tearful "home sweet home."

Their "home sweet home" is a three-room shingled house that is usually very warm, smells of Glade and white powder that trims the edges of the floor to keep the bugs away. On the walls of their living room are hung plaques reminding one that "God is Love" and "Prayer Changes Things" which Mrs. Nail "bought from some little children."

A wire fence and gate enclose the little home surrounded by greenery and a concrete block walk leads up to two front steps. Now that Mrs. Nail has a broken hip and is forced to walk with a walker, she has difficulty navigating these steps.

Usually she is content to stay home and crochet. When I asked her what she was crocheting she said, "Oh that's the Lord's Supper. I crocheted The Lord's S... The Good Shepherd, ... Psalm, and the Our ... the others she had ... and she quickly offer... me one.

Albany. He eagerly awaits the minibus that picks him up around 10:30 every morning to take him to the senior citizens dinner held at the housing project on Beechwood.

Yesterday they had 83 all together — 53 inside and 30 meals outside." The outside meals are those which are taken out to persons such as his wife who can't get out. Daily George brings a specially-prepared diabetic dinner home to her.

Despite her diabetes, the pin in her hip, and the painful arthritis, Mrs. Nail is optimistic and retains a very simple Christian philosophy.

Before she and George were married, she cared for George's mother whom he had promised not to leave. She worked at Silvercrest Hospital for over 21 years. One night "Pop took sick and I went up there with him and told him to sit down on the bench and I shoveled coal for him . . . I don't know how much I got in the hopper . . ."

George was in charge of the boiler room and recalled his first night with a spark of animation "I kept having to pull my hat down; what little hair I had was standin' up." He described his initial fear of the furnaces. During his years at Silvercrest, George's only major accident were first degree, burns on his arms and face that resulted in blood poisoning. His boss suggested he go to the hospital, but George was adamant: "I'm not going to the hospital. God's going to take care of me." And He did.

FUNRAMENTALISTS

George then shuffled to the bureau and dug through a mass of socks and t-shirts until he found a picture a Tribune photographer had taken of him with his response to what he thought of sending men to the moon. "I think the whole program is nuts," read the caption, "if God had meant for us to be on the moon He'd have made a way for us to get there." Mrs. Nail agreed with this, saying, "He gave us the animals and everything here to rule over — He didn't ask us to rule over His heavenly host," she said referring to the moon.

"Now Honey, don't mind my friends there," she motioned to the door jamb beside my head, interrupting my moon meditations. I caught sight of one of her four-legged, tentacled friends that crawl out of their baseboard homes onto the walls just to bug strangers. "Smack him, go on smack him with your hand," she encouraged.

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"I put out that white powder around the edges of the floor so they eat it then they die," she said.

Obviously it had lost its flavor like the chewing gum left on the bedpost overnight. George didn't get excited by the bug either.

The first time I saw George, he was shuffing down Cherry St. clutched in the arms of a chilling winter wind and pulling a small silver cart behind him. I pulled over and asked him where he was headed. "Krogers" was the one-word reply. "Would you like a ride?" I asked. "I don't care," and I'm sure he didn't since he seems to enjoy his walks. He loaded his collapsible grocery cart into the back of my small Honda couple and climbed into the front. His green eyes were soft, not the least bit demanding or curious. Yet I was curious about him. To most of my inquiries he responded with a polite, soft-spoken, "Yes ma'am, yes ma'am." When we arrived at the Kroger parking lot, he grew more talkative as the line of waiting cars grew behind me. That's a cute little "baby buggie" he teased about my car.

FAVORITE PATRON

George goes to Krogers at least three times a week where he is a well-known and loved patron. "They hit me on the back . . . there's a blond lady there . . . she hits me on the back" he said describing their affection for him. "No matter where it is, I can go anyplace in the building."

The Nails have no pets, except the ones God sends to their yard to sing. When funds permit, George shuffles to the store for bird feed and throws the seeds out to his litte feathered choir. "I feed the birds — redbirds, doves, that poor lil' ole' starling and the spatsies. I get tickled at the little doves, the one that doesn't have a mate — they chase him off."

GEORGE NAIL

On one occasion however, Mrs. Nail would like t... get out. She was dismayed last week when her doctor said she couldn't go up and down the steps in front of the 18th St. Mission where she had planned to take the Lord's Supper. Every year we don't go to church 'til 9 at night before the New Year. The children sing up front and the preacher preaches 'til about 10 minutes to 12 and then we take the Lord's Supper and when everybody else is shootin' off fire crackers and guns we're praying in the New Year and out the old." "Honey," she calls me, "the pastor and his wife come and pick me up and he gets on one side and Pop (as she fondly refers to George) he gets on the other and they help me down the stairs."

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Community Action Unit To Get $14,300 Grant

A grant of $14,300 has been awarded to the Clark County Community Action Agency to continue its program for a three-month period, beginning Jan. 1, according to Ninth District Congressman Lee H. Hamilton.

The Office of Economic Opportunity funds will be used to "provide services to low-income residents of Clark County," Hamilton stated.

Active members of the Charlestown Aged and Aging Program, pictured from left, first row, are Dora Givan, Louisa Burgess, Ada Egan, Jennie Couch, Manotie Johnson, Violette Prewitt, Anne Lietz and Paul Bruner; second row, Edna Oakley, Kathy Story, Mary Darby, Lucille Bell, Jim Hamilton, Kathryn Manaugh, Everett Couch and Jean Funkhoufer, site director; third row, Marion Prewitt and W.L. Johnson.

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Pitch-In Dinner Attended By 23

President Katherine Lang presided at the afternoon January meeting of the Senior Citizens following a pitch-in dinner which was attended by 23 members.

Crystal Berry, Lillian Perrin, Sarah Heller and Mayme celebrated January birthdays.

Cards were sent to John Reeser "Doc" Casey and Tom Williams who are patients in Scott County Memorial Hospital.

A card and bingo party is scheduled for January 20th at the O.V.O. center from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m., transportation is furnished for the asking. Every one is invited to attend these parties held twice a month.

The next dinner meeting will be February 19, at the center.

A shopping trip is planned for February, date to be released later. Call Mary Riley for transportation and information, 794-2914.

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Scottsburg Mayor Blake L. Burns wielded a pair of scissors to do the opening ceremonies at the Scott County Senior House recent dedication.

Standing with the mayor are Mrs. Thelma Bertrand (left), executive director of the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged which sponsors the center, and Site Director Dorothy Linzay.

Seventy persons attended the dedication, held January 22, and the house is now officially open to senior citizens throughout the county.

December 17, 1974

Statement of Policy for The Charlestown Friendship

Community Center Program.

The purpose of the Title VII Nutrition Program is to provide Older Americans with low cost, nutritionally sound meals served in strategically located Centers.

The "target group" of eligible Senior Citizens are those age 60 or older that:

1. Cannot afford to eat adequately or
2. lack the skill and/or knowledge to select and prepare nourishing and well-balanced meals,
3. have limited mobility which may impair ability to shop or cook or
4. have feelings of rejection or loneliness which obliterate the incentive necessary to prepare and eat a meal alone.

The following Social Services must also be provided to the extent that such services are needed and are not already available and accessible to the individuals participating in the nutrition program:

1. Transportation of individuals and personal escort service to and from the congregate meal site,
2. Information and Referral Services,
3. Health and Welfare Counseling Services,
4. Nutrition Education,
5. Shopping Assistance,
6. Recreation activities incidental to the project.

The Center at Friendship Community Building, 214 McCampbell Street, has pledged to supply the following items at no cost to the program:

Use of the Fellowship Room from 10: AM - 2: PM - five days a week, Monday thru Friday.

Tables		
Chairs	Coffee Urn	
Refrigerator	Plates	Silverware
Stove	Cups	Storage space
	Glasses	for supplies

TITLE VII NUTRITION PROGRAM

The Nutrition Program at the Center is providing the following Services to age 60 and over to residents of Charlestown:

1. Hot well-balanced nutritional meals 5 days a week at a fee. Recipients are to pay according to ability. (No means test is given).
2. Carry out meals for Senior Citizens unable to leave their homes.
3. Transportation to the Meal Site where needed.
4. Recreational activities.
5. RSVP Workshop.
6. Programs selected by the recipient, ie, group singing.
7. Ceramics lessons.
8. Nutrition Education Programs.
9. Health and Welfare Counseling.
10. Condition of Building will be left as found or improved.

Goal of the Title VII Nutrition Program is to promote better health among the older segment of the population through improved nutrition and reduce the isolation of old age, offering Older Americans the opportunity to live their remaining years in dignity.

Kenneth K. Bailey
Charlestown Housing Authority

Thelma Bertrand, Executive Director

South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc.

Mary Lukemeier, Project Director

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Albert Helzer, an employee of the Clark County State Bank, Jeffersonville, was honored with a retirement banquet. Pictured from left are James Clapp, Albert Helzer, honoree, John Morris, Juanita Bruner and David Boone.

The Charlestown Aged and Aging Program held its annual "Activity Day" at a local community center. Pictured from left, seated around the table, are Mabel Reis, Everett Couch, Jenny Couch, Cecil DeCamp, Christina DeCamp and Paul Bruner; standing in back, Jean Frickhoeffer and Nellie Nash.

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The Sellersburg Business and Professional Women's Club held its monthly meeting with Mrs. Mary Lukemeier, Nutrition Program Director from the South Central Council for the Aged and Aging, Inc., serving as guest speaker. Pictured from left, first row, are Luella Beel, hostess, Martheen Graham, president, Myrtle Dorrough and Myrtle Amos; second row, Mary Lukemeier, guest speaker, Alice Marshall, Earline Kahl and Edna Jackson.

THE EVENING NEWS, JEFFERSONVILLE, INDIANA THURSDAY, JANUARY 23, 1975

Senior Citizens To Get Reduced Rate For Movie

The academy award nominee movie "Sounder" will be shown at the first "Senior Citizens Movie Day," scheduled for January 24 at the Trans-Lux Theatre, Clarksville.

Anyone 60 years of age or older will be permitted at a reduced price. A social hour from 1 until 2 p.m. with cookies and punch will will precede the movie.

If this event is a success movies that will appeal to senior citizens will be shown regularly at a reduced price. Transportation will be provided from various pick-up points in Clark, Floyd, Harrison and Scott Counties.

Additional information may be obtained by contacting the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging, the New Albany Senior Citizen Center, Title VII Nutrition Program or the Retired Senior Volunteer Program.

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Trans Lux Movie Theater To Give Special Rates To Senior Citizens

Senior citizens will be able to view selected movies at special rates beginning Jan. 24, it was announced today by Thelma Bertrand, director of the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc., and Art Conner, manager of the Trans Lux Theatres in Clarksville.

The special performances will be available to any resident of Clark, Floyd, Harrison and Scott Counties age 60 or over.

The senior citizens will be allowed to chose the movies which they would like to view and will be able to select from both current movies and from those made during the past 40 years. Conner will also provide light refreshments for 1 to 2 p.m. prior to the afternoon matinees so that the participants will have an opportunity to socialize.

The movies will be shown either once or twice a month depending on the response generated by the program. Transportation will be provided.

Details of the performances are being completed through the cooperation of Conner and the Council for the Aging and Aged with the aid of the Title Vii Nutrition Program, the Centers and Transportation Project and the Retired Senior Volunteers Program.

Set Opening For Center

Monday, Jan. 6, has been set as the opening of the New Albany Senior Citizens' Center according to Thelma Bertrand, Executive Director of the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc.

Located at 317 E. 5th, the Center will offer a wide variety of activities to those residents of Floyd County age 60 and over. Participants are invited to join in such activities as playing cards, watching television, taking part in craft projects, joining in a volunteer workshop making items for the shut-ins as well as socializing with their friends.

Mrs. Grace Wilcox will serve as center director and will oversee the various activities and events.

The Center will be open Monday through Friday, 11 a.m. until 4 p.m.

Kitchen facilities are available for those who might want to prepare a light lunch at the Center and for those who wish to carry-in a sack lunch or meals from the Litle VII Nutrition Program will be delivered to the Center for those who have placed their order for a lunch on the previous day.

A formal dedication ceremony will be held at a later date.

Additional information may be obtained by contacting the Council for the Aging (948-9161), the Title VII Nutrition Program (948-8873), the Centers and Transportation Project (948-8330) or the Retired Senior Volunteer Program (948-8330).

OFFICIAL OPENING — Mayor Warren Nash cuts the ribbon marking the official opening of the Senior Citizen Center at 317 E. 5th St. The center will serve as a mini Title VII Nutrition meal site and the Retired Senior Volunteer workshop. Assisting the mayor is Thelma Bertrand, executive director of the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Area 14 agency. (Tribune Photo)

Set Bus Schedule For Aged Nutrition Program

Hal Simmonds of Jeffersonville has been selected coordinator of Centers and Transportation for people 60 and older for The South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc. Area 14 agency.

His responsibilities will include coordinating activities in the Centers located at 183 S. Second St., Scottsburg; Clark Arms, Jeffersonville; 317 S. 5th St., New Albany, and 123 S. Mulberry, Corydon.

Simmonds will also initiate mini-transportation programs in Clark, Floyd, Harrison and Scott Counties. There will be three vans operating in the Area. The first trial run began Nov. 21. This is a model project and will be established with the understanding the routing will be altered to meet the needs of the people and capabilities of the program.

His office will be located at 317 E. 5th Street, New Albany, and he will share the RSVP phone: 948-8330.

Maxine Sburgeon is driver at phone 364-6397.

TRANSPORTATION SCHEDULE

MONDAY — Palmyra (arrival) 9:00 a.m., Hwy. 150, (pick-up point) Dairy Bar; Central Barren, 9:10, Hwy. 135, Fredericks Grocery; New Salisbury 9:20, Hwy. 64, Halfway Restaurant; Ramsey 9:30, Hwy. 64, Halles Restaurant; Depauw 9:50, Hwy. 337, Wetzel Grocery; Frenchtown 10:00, Hwy. 337, St. Bernards Church; Corydon 10:20, Hwy. 337, Downtown Corydon; Corydon 10:30 and 2:00 at local stops relating to Title VII nutrition program and leave Corydon 2:05 p.m.

TUESDAY — Central Barren, 9:00, Hwy. 135, Fredericks Grocery; Bradford 9:15, Hwy. 35E, Post office; Byrnville 9:35, Hwy. 35E, Moiser Grocery; Crandall 9:55, Hwy. 35E, Gaithers Grocery; Georgetown 10:25, Hwy. 64, Kennedy Grocery; Edwardsville 10:40, Hwy. 64, Key Market; Maplewood 10:50, Hwy. 64, Dairy Bar; Lanesville 10:55, Hwy. 62, Bakers Market; Corydon 11:10, Hwy. 62, downtown Corydon.

WEDNESDAY — Palmyra 9 a.m., Hwy. 150, Weilbaker Jewelers; Greenville 9:30, Hwy. 150, Greenville Market; Galena 9:45, Hwy. 150, Galena Gables; Floyds Knobs 10:00, Hwy. 150, Harding Market; New Albany 10:15, Hwy. 150, New Albany Plaza; New Albany 10:20, State St., Hospital; New Albany 10:30, Spring St., City-County Building; New Albany 10:35, Downtown, New Albany; New Albany 10:50, Beechwood, Community center, meal site; New Albany 2:00 p.m., State St., New Albany Plaza.

Passengers will be returned at 3 p.m.

Reservation must be phoned to the meal site at least one day in advance for anyone who wants to eat at the site to phone 945-8842.

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CLARK ARMS CENTER JAN 1975

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Volunteer workers of the Jeffersonville Clark Arms Council for the Aged and Aging Nutrition Program, pictured from left, are Lanora Resch, site director, May Braun, Ruth Kiefer and Elizabeth Reed, volunteers.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1975

Active participants of the Wall Street United Methodist Church Nutrition Center, pictured from left, first row, are Georgia Bushaw, volunteer, Maybelle Speith, council member and Leona Zuerner, volunteer; second row, Phyllis Abernathy, site director, William Ruddell, volunteer and Dr. Howard Ellis, pastor.

THE CHRONICLE
SCOTTSBURG, INDIANA PAGE SEVEN Wednesday, February 25, 1976

Senior Activities Listed

Participants at the Scott County Senior House will find plenty of activities to keep them busy at the Scottsburg center, noted site director Marge Julian this week.

Mrs. Julian stated that a senior matinee at the Clarksville Trans-Lux Theater has been scheduled for Friday at 1:00 p.m. featuring the film, "The Life and Times of Grizzly Adams."

Because of the $1 matinee, the center's devotions period, normally held on Friday afternoon, will be switched to Thursday, February 26, this week, she said.

Brother Joel Underwood of the Seventh Day Adventist Church in Scottsburg will be the guest minister that day, Mrs. Julian related.

The site director also stressed that senior citizens wishing to see the Clarksville movie should make travel reservations for the Senior House van by calling the center at 752-4134 before 4:00 p.m. Thursday.

Slated for the coming week of March 1 through 5 is the monthly blood pressure screening clinic to be held from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. Tuesday, March 2, and on Wednesday, March 3, Mrs. Aline McAdams will be available to assist any senior citizen over age 60 with their income tax papers from 1:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m., Mrs. Julian advised.

On the Nutrition Program menu for the coming week are the following meals: MONDAY: Baked ham, sweet potatoes, orange juice, white bread, cake, and cheese slices; TUESDAY: Baked turkey, baked potato with sour cream, green beans, rye bread, and pumpkin pie; WEDNESDAY: Tuna casserole, lima beans, stewed tomatoes, noodles, jello and pear salad, and cheese and crackers; THURSDAY: Meat loaf with tomato gravy, chopped broccoli, mashed potatoes, white bread, sliced peaches, and peanut butter; and FRIDAY: Roast beef with gravy, pineapple chunks, kale greens, corn bread, and ice cream.

Attendance at meals for the week of February 16 through 20 included 123 meals served at the center with an additional 113 lunches carried out by volunteers to elderly shut-ins in the Scottsburg area, figures released by Mrs. Julian revelaed.

Meal reservations should be called in to the Senior House before 2:30 p.m. the previous day, she noted.

The meals program as well as other activities at the local center are supported by the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, headquatered in New Albany.

THE CHRONICLE
SCOTTSBURG, INDIANA PAGE SIX Wednesday, February 25, 1976

Senior Citizens Eligible For Special 'Holiday On Ice' Show

Senior citizens in Scott County are eligible to take advantage of a special "Holiday on Ice" matineee at 1:30 p.m., Sunday, March 7, at the Louisville Convention Center, announced Scott County Senior House director Marge Julian recently.

The site director said that any citizen over age 60 will be charged a special admission price of $3 for the afternoon matineee of the ice-skating spectacular.

Reservations must be called into the local Senior House by 4:00 p.m. Tuesday, March 2, she stressed, adding that the center's telephone number is 752-4134.

The Senior House van, which seats 12, will be used to transport persons wishing to attend the special matinee on a "first come, first serve" basis, Mrs. Julian related.

"We'd also like to see area churches arrange to transpost busloads of senior citizens so we can all sit in a group at the ice show," she commented. Any offer of such additional transportation will be welcomed, Mrs. Julian stated.

The Senior House van will leave from the center, located at 183 South Second Street in Scottsburg, at 12 noon that Sunday.

The special matinee is being sponsored by the Council for Older Americans.

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The Clark County Senior Citizens Center, a project of the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, was formally dedicated at a ceremony conducted in Jeffersonville. Pictured from left are Mayor Richard Vissing, Thomas Bibb, a representative of the Clark County Housing Authority and Mrs. Lanora Resch, center director. The center is located in the Clark Arms Apartment, Jeffersonville and is open to any Clark County resident over 60 years of age.

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Everitt Napier, regular driver of the Scott County Senior Citizens van, assists several ladies off the vehicle.

The van is available "most all the time", advised Napier, and he stated that trips to doctors, post offices, laundromats, and the like can easily be arranged.

Senior citizens needing transportation are invited to contact the Scott County Senior House at 752-4134 to arrange trips in the 15-passenger van.

"All we need is a phone call," Napier added.

(Staff photo)

Movies And Movies Set For County Senior House

Next week will be a busy one for those senior citizens attending activites at the Scott County Senior House in Scottsburg.

Site Director Dorothy Linzay advised that short comedy movies will be shown at the center, starting at 12:30 P.M. Tuesday. Mrs. Rose Will, an out-reach worker with the South Central Indiana Council For the Aging and Aged in New Albany, will serve as projectionist that day and the films will feature such comedy classics as "The Little Rascals", Mrs. Linzay said.

The site director stated that the film session will be scheduled into the center's activities at least twice a month.

On Wednesday afternoon, senior citizens interested in bowling may board the senior van for the trip to the Scottsburg Bowling Lanes where the group may bowl at reduced rates during that time.

Thursday will once again bring a crafts session featuring Mrs. Emogene Richards of Leota who will instruct senior citizens on knitting and crocheting.

On Friday, participants may either enjoy a leisurely afternoon at the center visiting with Reverend Thomas Pitcher of the Austin United Metodist Church who will conduct the devotions session, or they may attend a special matinee of the movie "Lilies Bloom" at the Clarksville Trans Lux Theater.

Transportation will be provided by the Senior House and participants pay only $.75 admission fee. Vehicles will leave the center at 12:30 p.m. for the theater and an hour-long social hour at which popcorn and cokes will be served will begin at 1:00 p.m.

The movie will start at 2:00 p.m., Mrs. Linzay said.

The site director stressed the fact that those interested in the house's activities may also like to join the Title VII Nutrition protram. which features well-balanced, nutritious meals at low cost.

Next week's menu (February 17 through 21) will feature for MONDAY: Meat loaf, cooked cabbage, cheese potatoes, white bread and apricots; TUESDAY: Pork roast with gravy, saurkraut, mashed potatoes, corn bread, and chocolate pudding; WEDNESDAY: Beef and vegetable stew, baked apples, rye bread, and sherbet; THURSDAY: Fried chicken, sweet potatoes, orange and cranberry salad, rye bread, and pumpkin pie; and FRIDAY: Baked fish with tarter sauce, broccoli, cream style corn, corn bread, and cake.

Participants are asked to pay for the meals only in accordance with their income, Mrs. Linzay noted, and reservations must be made one day in advance by calling the site director at 752-4134.

The Senior House is located at 183 South Second Street in Scottsburg and is open Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

RSVP Workshop, Menu Are Slated At Senior House

A special workshop will be held at the Scott County Senior House in Scottsburg, Monday, February 10, to be sponsored by the Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP), Site Director Dorothy Linzay announced this week.

All senior citizens interested in making favors for hospital and nursing home patients are asked to attend the day-long session at the center, Mrs. Linzay said.

Materials to make the favors will be provided, she stated, and Miss Jackie Cox, RSVP program director from New Albany, will supervise the activities.

Also on next week's program at the center is Tuesday afternoon's bowling session at the Scottsburg Bowling Lanes, bingo on Wednesday, and crafts on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Linzay said that Reverend Randy Fite from the Vienna Baptist Church will conduct next Friday's devotions.

The projected meal plan for the week of February 10 through 14 will include for MONDAY: Pinto beans with chopped ham, baked candied apples, cole slaw, corn bread, and cake; TUESDAY: Liver, au grautin potatoes, broccoli, white bread, and fruit cocktail; WEDNESDAY: Chopped sirloin steak, stewed tomatoes, lima beans, rye bread, and butterscotch pudding; THURSDAY: Fried chicken, German potato salad, spinach, white bread, and apple pie; and FRIDAY: Macaroni and cheese, green beans, carrot and raisin salad, corn bread, and ice cream.

The Senior House is open Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Reservations for the Title VII Nutrition program must be made one day in advance by calling the center at 752-4134.

Senior Film Is Scheduled

Scott County senior citizens are reminded that the monthly matinee showing of a selected film will be on Friday, February 21, advised Mrs. Dorothy Linzay, the Scott County Senior House site director.

Reservations for this special showing, to be held at the Clarksville Trans Lux Theatre, must be made by calling Mrs. Linzay at the Senior House at 752-4134.

Reservations deadline is Tuesday, February 11, she stated.

When reserving a seat, participants will be asked to choose one of five movies for showing that day.

Among the selections are "It's a Mad, Mad World", "The Hospital", "Cold Turkey", "Lilies Bloom", and the musical, "1776".

Free transportation to the Senior Center, located at 183 South Second Street in Scottsburg, can be arranged, and the center's buses will take moviegoers to Clarksville, leaving the Senior House about 12:30 p.m., Mrs. Linzay said.

Admission to the showing will be $.75, and a social hour before the movie will begin at 1:00 p.m. The feature will be aired at 2:00 p.m.

These special performances are arranged through the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged Inc., headquartered in New Albany, and theater manager Art Conner.

Mrs. Linzay said that movies at which the special reduced rate is charged, will be scheduled once a month in the future.

Program members who were honored with a party in celebration of their birthdays, pictured above were Everett Couch, left and Pauline Johnson, helper.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY — The Title VII Nutrition Program of the Floyd County Council for the Aged and Aging celebrated its first anniversary Wednesday at the Beechwood Housing Project Community Center. Cutting the anniversary cake is Beechwood site director Mary Carmickle, right, while from left, Thelma Bertrand, executive director of the council of the aging, Howard McLean of the New Albany Housing Authority, Mary Lukemeier, project director of Title VII, and Bob Maze, southern field representative of the state commission on the aging wait for their piece of cake. The program provides persons over 60 with one nutritious hot meal per day for low cost.

(Tribune Photo)

Meals For Aged Service Ends 1st Year

The Title VII Nutrition program at Beechwood Community Center celebrated its 1st birthday this week with 78 elderly older recipients attending the celebration.

Mary Carmickle, site director since its opening Feb. 12, 1974, said, "We're just one big happy family."

The nutrition program has been serving well-balanced nutritious meals to people 60 years or older, five days a week. The food is catered from Lancaster Catering Service at a per-meal cost of $1.25, Participants are asked to pay according to their ability with a suggested fee of 50 cents for those on restricted incomes. The program is designed to promote fellowship and good nutrition for the older segment of the population.

Mrs. Carmickle reports that 45 volunteers gave a total of 1,177 volunteer hours last quarter. Volunteer services include kitchen hostesses, receptionists, food servers and drivers.

"There is a current need for volunteers to assist in transportation and to deliver carry-out meals to those in the community who are unable to leave their homes" states Mary Lukemeier, project director.

During the year of service to the Community 18,853 meals have been served to senior citizens with over 160 participating.

The Title VII Nutrition program is sponsored by South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc.

Members of the Charlestown Aged and Aging Program, pictured from left, first row, are Helen Jones; Lola Maymon, Ruby Hamilton holding guest, Judith Ann Hamilton, Thelma Sweeney and Mabel Reis, second row, Mary Fender, Alma Estes, Drella Graves, Ruth Amick, Joseph Bueter and Reid Long. Not pictured was Henry Cook.

The Title VII Nutrition Program of Charlestown, held election of officers at its monthly business meeting. Pictured from left are Thelma Sweeney, secretary; Jonnie Edwards, vice-president; Reid Long, president and Ruby Hamilton, treasurer.

Installed as officers of the Project Council, pictured above were Ada Egan, left and Alma Estes.

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Herb Ross, left and Paul Bruner, members of the Charlestown Aged and Aging Program were honored with a party in celebration of their birthday. Other members celebrating birthdays during February were Mure Blancharel, Kate Story, Mrs. Georgie Phillips and Rose Jackson.

Outgoing officers, pictured from left, were Buelah Cook, treasurer; Reid Long, secretary; Ruby Hamilton, vice-president and Alma Estes, president.

26 Senior Citizens Enjoy Matinee In Clarksville

About 26 senior citizens from Scott County attended the February 21 matinee in Clarksville of the movie, "Lilies Bloom", according to a spokesman at the Scott County Senior House.

Sponsored jointly by the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and the Aged and the Clarksville Trans Lux Theatre, the movie was the second special feature to be shown to a mid-afternoon group of senior citizens from Clark, Floyd, Harrison, and Scott counties.

Approximately 200 persons attended the showing in all, stated the spokesman.

The next film has been scheduled for March 21, it was noted, and will be shown at 2:00 p.m. following an hour-long social hour for senior citizens.

Cost of admission to the matinee is $.75, and transportation is provided free of charge by the Scott County Senior House.

Mrs. Dorothy Linzay, site director for the local center, stated that further information on the next movie will be issued shortly.

All senior citizens are invited to attend the special showings, she added.

Senior Citizens Movie Day Set For March 21

The annual "Senior Citizens Movie Day," sponsored by the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc. will be held on March 21 at the Trans-Lux Theatre, Clarksville.

A social hour from 1 p.m. until 2 p.m. will precede the movie "1776."

Transportation will be provided from various pick-up points in Clark, Floyd, Harrison and Scott Counties.

Menu For The Elderly

The South Central Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc. has released a nutrition program menu for the elderly for the week of March 17 through March 21.

Monday, March 17: Sliced beef with gravy, mashed potatoes, sliced carrots, rye bread, butter or fortified margarine, apricots, milk.

Tuesday, March 18: Chopped ham with pinto beans, baked apples, chopped mixed greens, cornbread, butter or fortified margarine, custard pie, milk.

Wednesday, March 19: Barbecue spareribs, baked beans, tossed salad, white bread, butter or fortified margarine, ice cream, milk.

Thursday, March 20: Chicken livers with mushroom gravy, stewed tomatoes, cream style corn, whole wheat bread, butter or fortified margarine, fruit jello, milk.

Friday, March 21: Baked fish, cauliflower with cheese sauce, carrot raisin salad, cornbread, butter or fortified margarine, brownie, milk.

Menu For The Elderly

The South Central Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc. has released a nutrition program for the elderly for the week of March 31 through April 4.

Monday, March 31: Fried chicken, creamed potatoes, stewed tomatoes, white bread, butter or fortified margarine, cake, milk.

Tuesday, April 1: Meat loaf, cauliflower with cheese, beets, rye bread, butter or fortified margarine, pineapple chunks, milk.

Wednesday, April 2: Roast beef with gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, cornbread, butter or fortified margarine, ice cream, milk.

Thursday, April 3: Sauteed liver, mashed potatoes, stewed tomatoes, white bread, butter or fortified margarine, fruit cocktail, milk.

Friday, April 4: Fried fish with tartar sauce, chopped broccoli, carrot slices, cornbread, butter or fortified margarine, lemon pie, milk.

Senior Citizens To Receive Tax Form Aid

Assistance in filling out income tax forms will be offered to any senior citizen Wednesday, March 5, at the Scott County Senior House in Scottsburg, advised site director Dorothy Linzav this week.

Mrs. Linzay stated that a woman experienced in tax work would be available for consultation at the center that day, to aid senior citizens in submitting their 1974 tax returns.

Also scheduled next week at the Senior House is a presentation of short movie comedies on Tuesday as well as the regular bowling session on Wednesday afternoon and a crafts class Thursday.

Reverend Paul Patton from the Scottsburg Christian Church will preside over Friday's devotions hour, said Mrs. Linzay.

The Title VII Nutrition program's menu plan for the week of March 3 through 7 is for MONDAY: Breaded veal cutlet, whole kernel corn, broccoli, white bread, and apricots; TUESDAY: Fried chicken, baked potato with sour cream, carrot salad, rye bread, and apple pie; WEDNESDAY: Salisbury steak, baked beans, lettuce and tomato salad with dressing, white bread, and orange sherbet; THURSDAY: Liver with onion gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, whole wheat bread, and pineapple chunks; and FRIDAY: Tuna casserole, cole slaw, beets, corn bread, and a brownie.

The Scott County Senior House is open to all senior citizens in Scott County Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

It is located at 183 South Second Street in Scottsburg.

Staff Photo by Keith Williams

Sitting on a dock of the river

It was a good day for sitting and taking in some of the sun's warm rays, so A.A. Seddon and her dog did just that on a Jeffersonville dock Saturday.

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Tom Bricker, left, property manager for Deam Lake state recreation area, and Larry Anderson, second from left, director of the Green Thumb program, watched as program participant John Gunter (wearing hat) and maintenance technician Bob Streeply (back to camera) planted a pine seedling. Helping at right is Indiana Farmers Union president Harold Wright, another of the state and local officials touring the preserve to view the program's accomplishments.

Work in Green Thumb program

The elderly find 'salvation'

By DALE MOSS
Louisville Times Staff Writer

Two elderly women stretched the eye-catching green cloth across the table to fit the pattern. Five others in an adjoining room were sewing shirts and smocks from the material. It was earnest work; only the whir of the sewing machines could be heard.

The women, in their 60s and 70s, want more than anything to be useful. The federally funded Green Thumb jobs program for the elderly has been a salvation for them.

"Being involved like this keeps them enthused about life," said Mildred Williams, a coordinator of the work center in the old Penn Central Railroad station on Mitchell Avenue in Jeffersonville.

Yesterday, state Green Thumb officials visited the center and several other places in Southern Indiana where elderly persons are participating in the program. The coordinators, Mrs. Williams and Robert Summers, were given pats on the back for the success of the Jeffersonville center.

In Clark County, other Green Thumb projects include such things as fixing up recreation and picnic areas of the Clark State Forest and Deam Lake.

Summers, president of Employment Services, Inc., the nonprofit corporation that runs the work center, gave the state officials a pep talk about the usefulness and power of the elderly.

"Everybody seems interested to help the elderly these days, right?" Summers asked. "Well, let's help them even more."

Summers, who voluntarily runs the center, had the elderly workers and the state officials ready to push for even more job programs for senior citizens when he said, "Tell the elderly to put their shoulders together and stay as a team. Show these politicians your strength and power. Make them earn your vote."

He looked at several elderly women near sewing machines and added, "Don't let anyone snow you."

Employment Services, Inc., has been a sewing center for the elderly for about a

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year. It started with two women. Now, Summers plans to employ 50 eventually.

Six months ago, Employment Services signed a contract with Green Thumb to make the green smocks and shirts worn by Green Thumb workers throughout the country. So far, more than 700 garments have beenm ade there.

Green Thumb workers at the center are all over 55 and meet federal poverty standards. They earn $2.30 per hour and work 20 hours weekly. It is one of 65 Green Thumb centers in Indiana.

The pay raises the women's standard of living, Mrs. Williams said, and the work makes them feel worthwhile. But the enthusiasm these women have for life is the key benefit, she said.

"There's just so much potential," she said. "Just because they're older is no reason to believe they've lost their ability or knowledge."

Pending an increase in Green Thumb projects in Clark County, Summers is planning other jobs programs for the elderly. One that could be initiated soon would be a home visitation program.

It would be federally funded through the Title XX welfare program, and would employ about 15 poor, elderly persons to visit and care for other senior citizens.

They would do the laundry and housework for the invalid citizens, prepare meals, go shopping and run errands. They would spend two or three hours daily with each person.

"It'd mean a great deal to those people," Mrs. Williams said. "It's elderly helping elderly."

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11 Attend Hearing

Eleven Scott County residents were present at Thursday afternoon's public hearing for a discussion of the 1975-76 objectives and budget for the Area 14 Agency for the Commission on Aging held in New Albany.

The group represented the Scott County Senior House located in Scottsburg which is funded by the Area 14 Agency, known as the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc.

Officials from the Indiana Commission on Aging also attended the meeting to hear comments on programs sponsored by the Agency in Clark, Floyd, Harrison, and Scott counties.

Much praise was heard for the various programs supervised by the Council on Aging, advised a spokesman for the local group.

Those attending included acting Senior House site director Hazel Feaster, Mrs. Mary Naylor, Mrs. Ida Downs, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rippey, Mrs. Marguerite Williams, Mrs. Toni McClellan, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Somsel, Mrs. Grace Amick, and Mrs. Ruby Morgan.

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32 Senior Citizens Set For Trip To Orleans Dogwood Festival

Thirty-two reservations have been received by Scott County Senior House staff for the April 26 trip to the annual Orleans Dogwood Festival.

According to a Senior House spokeswoman, all county senior citizens are invited to participate in the trip, which will cost each person $3.00, including lunch.

The group will leave from the Scottsburg center at 10:00 a.m. that Saturday and tour Orleans before arriving at the Orange County Senior House for lunch.

Senior citizens will also be treated to a tour of that facility as well as visit antique shops and special booths promoting the Dogwood Festival.

Participants will also be on hand for the 2:30 p.m. parade in Orleans, the spokeswoman stated.

The group should return to the Senior House in Scottsburg at 5:00 p.m.

This special activity is sponsored by the local center through the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc., headquartered in New Albany.

Additional information and reservations for the trip may be obtained by calling the Senior House at 752-4134, advised the spokeswoman.

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House Activities Booming

Quilting has been added to a growing list of crafts taught at the Scott County Senior House on Thursday afternoons, noted acting site director Hazel Feaster this week.

"We've got one quilt underway right now and the ladies come in and work on it any time they want to," she stated.

Other activities available at the local center include card games, bingo, pool, and bowling sessions offered to senior citizens at reduced rates at the Scottsburg Bowling Lanes every Wednesday afternoon.

A color television is also available for soap opera buffs, Mrs. Feaster added.

"Of course, we also have a lot of good friendly visiting every day of the week here," the acting site director remarked.

Next Friday, May 2, Reverend Paul Hedden from the United Methodist Church in Scottsburg will conduct the weekly devotions held at the center.

The center, located at 183 South Second Street in Scottsburg, is sponsored by the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, headquartered in New Albany.

Attendance for the Title VII Nutrition program during the week of April 14 through 18 equalled 133, advised Mrs. Feaster.

The projected menu plan for the week of April 28 through May 2 is for MONDAY: Breaded pork tenderloin, cauliflower with cheese, spinach, hamburger bun, and chocolate pudding; TUESDAY: Meat loaf with tomato sauce, baked potato with sour cream, cooked cabbage, corn bread, and coconut cream pie; WEDNESDAY: Sauteed chicken livers with gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, white bread, and pineapple chunks; THURSDAY: Fried chicken, brussel sprouts, creamed carrots and onions, corn bread, and ice cream; and FRIDAY: Fried fish with tartar sauce, buttered broccoli, baked beans, rye bread, and apricots.

The suggested price for daily lunches is $.50 per person, advised Mrs. Feaster, adding that each meals participant is asked to pay only according to his ability.

Any resident over age 60 living in Scott County is eligible to participate in the Title VII Nutrition program.

Those interested, Mrs. Feaster stated, should contact the Senior House at 752-4134 Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

RSVP Session Scheduled At Senior House

A Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) project and movies are both planned for the Scott County Senior House next week, advised site director Dorothy Linzay recently.

The RSVP session will be held Monday at the center and Jackie Cox, RSVP director, will be present, she said.

The center's sponsor, the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, has also purchased a sewing machine and additional card tables, Mrs. Linzay revealed.

All of the new equipment will be in use at the house by next week, she added.

The Title VII Nutrition program for the coming week of April 14 through 18 will include for MONDAY: Black-eyed peas with ham, buttered carrots, tossed salad, rye bread, and ice cream; TUESDAY: Barbecused spare ribs, cauliflower with cheese, lima beans, white bread, and pineapple chunks; WEDNESDAY: Fried chicken, baked potato with sour cream, spinach, rye bread, and orange cake; THURSDAY: Sauteed liver with gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, white bread, and fruit cocktail; and FRIDAY: Surf-o-patty, cole slaw, peas with onions, corn bread, and lemon pie.

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County Senior House To Sponsor Trip To Orleans Dogwood Festival

The Scott County Senior House is again sponsoring a day-long visit to the Dogwood Festival in Orleans April 26, it was revealed this week.

All senior citizens are invited to participate in the trip which will cost each person $2.50, advised Senior House Site Director Dorothy Linzay.

Participants will leave from the Senior House, located at 183 South Second Street in Scottsburg, at 10:00 a.m. that Saturday and tour Orleans before going to the Orange County Senior House for lunch.

A tour of the senior center is also planned as is a visit to antique shops and special booths promoting the Dogwood Festival.

The Scott County group will also be on hand for the 2:30 p.m. parade in Orleans and will be allowed shopping time before boarding the bus for the return trip.

Participants should return to the Senior House in Scottsburg at 5:00 p.m.

Reservations for the trip must be made by April 18 by calling the local center at 752-4134, stated Mrs. Linzay.

"This is our second trip and we expect quite a few people to come. We had such a good time last year," the site director commented.

Talk, Tax Returns Aid Slated At Senior House

Activities are picking up at the Scott County Senior House in Scottsburg.

According to Site Director Dorothy Linzay, a talk on nutrition will be given by Mrs. Irene Timberlake Monday afternoon at 1:00 p.m. at the center, and on Wednesday, Mrs. Myrtle McAdams will be present to assist senior citizens with tax returns.

She will be available at the center most of the day, advised Mrs. Linzay.

Also on Wednesday there will be the regular bowling outing to the Scottsburg Bowling Lanes, she said.

A crafts session is scheduled at its regular time Thursday afternoon.

Visiting minister of the week, Reverend Norman Ponder from the Grace Baptist Church in Scottsburg, will preside over devotions on Friday, Mrs. Linzay noted.

The site director also stated that the Senior House van will resume its normal schedule next week when regular driver Everitt Napier returns to his duties.

Emory Cass of Scottsburg has been assisting the center, driving the van during Napier's absence. Mrs. Linzay expressed special thanks to Cass for his aid.

The projected menu plan for the week of April 7 through 11 at the Senior House includes for MONDAY: Fried chicken, creamed potatoes, kale greens, rye bread, and fruit jello; TUESDAY: Meat loaf, baked apples, broccoli with cheese sauce, corn bread, and ice cream; WEDNESDAY: Chicken livers in mushroom gravy, mashed potatoes, corn, white bread, and apricots; THURSDAY: Roast beef, mixed vegetables, tossed salad with dressing, white bread, und cup cakes; and FRIDAY: Macaroni and cheese, green beans, stewed tomatoes, corn bread, and custard pie.

Any senior citizen over age 60 living in Scott County is invited to attend the Title VII Nutrition program at the center, located at 183 South Second Street, Monday through Friday.

Suggested fee for any meal eaten at the house is $.50, and transportation will be provided to any senior citizen desiring the service.

Quiet Week Planned For Senior Center

A quiet week is in the offing for senior citizens at the Scott County Senior House, advised site director Dorothy Linzay.

"Actually, this will probably be the quietest week we have in April because we have several speakers lined up in addition to our movies and other activities planned for next month," she related.

Regular activities that will be held will include bingo and bowling on Wednesday, a knitting and crocheting session on Thursday, and Father Stanley Herber from the American Martyrs Catholic Church in Scottsburg will conduct the devotions session on Friday.

According to attendance figures kept by Mrs. Linzay, 154 persons participated in the Title VII Nutrition program at the local center during the week of March 17 through 21.

This week's Title VII menu includes for MONDAY: Fried chicken, creamed potatoes, stewed tomatoes, white bread, and cake; TUESDAY: Meat loaf, cauliflower with cheese sauce, beets, rye bread, and pineapple chunks; WEDNESDAY: Roast beef, with gravy; mashed potatoes, green beans, corn bread, and ice cream; THURSDAY: Sauteed liver, mashed potatoes, stewed tomatoes, white bread, and fruit cocktail; and FRIDAY: Fried fish with tartar sauce, chopped broccoli, carrot slices, corn bread, and lemon pie.

Any person over 60 years of age can participate in the Title VII meal program by contacting the Senior House for reservations at 752-4134 Monday through Friday, advised Mrs. Linzay.

Transportation can be arranged for any person needing that service, she added.

Menu For The Elderly

The South Central Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc. has released a nutrition program menu for the elderly for the week of April 21 through April 25.

Monday, April 21: Baked turkey with gravy, dressing, cranberry salad, white bread, butter or fortified margarine, ice cream, milk.

Tuesday, April 22: Fried chicken, cooked carrots, green beans, white bread, butter or fortified margarine, butterscotch pudding, milk.

Wednesday, April 23: Pork roast, sauerkraut, mashed potatoes, cornbread, butter or fortified margarine, cake, milk.

Thursday, April 24: Beef barbecue, creamed corn, chopped broccoli with cheese, hamburger bun, butter or fortified margarine, apple pie, milk.

Friday, April 25: Tuna casserole, lima beans, carrot salad, cornbread, butter or fortified margarine, cupcake, milk.

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The Title VII Nutrition Program of Charlestown held a party honoring members who celebrated birthdays during the month of March. Pictured above are Shirley Givans, left and Alma Estes.

Genny Gregory, pictured above, was among the volunteer workers honored at the party. Each month a party is held honoring members who recently celebrated birthdays.

Elderly Menu

The South Central Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc. has published a nutrition program menu for the elderly for the week of June 7 through June 11.

Monday, June 7: Baked ham, sweet potatoes, orange juice, white bread, butter or margarine, cake, cheese slices, milk.

Tuesday, June 8: Baked turkey with gravy, dressing, green beans, rye bread, butter or margarine, pumpkin pie, raisins, milk.

Wednesday, June 9: Chicken and noodle casserole, lima beans, stewed tomatoes, cheese and crackers, butter or margarine, jello and pear salad, milk.

Thursday, June 10: Meat loaf with tomato gravy, chopped broccoli, mashed potatoes, white bread, butter of margarine, sliced peaches, peanut butter, milk.

Friday, June 11: Chopped beef with gravy, mashed potatoes, kale greens, corn bread, butter or margarine, pears, raisins, milk.

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Council For Aging And Aged Meets

The advisory council meeting of the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc. held a meeting in New Albany.

Thelma Bertrand, executive director of the council, announced that the State Commission on Aging has advised the council that it will receive a new Title X grant. The grant will be for the purpose of hiring unemployed people 60 years of age and older, to take care of minor home repairs for older Americans and perform home aid services for home bound elderly.

Plans were discussed for the project directors workshop, scheduled for April 26 and May 3 at Indiana University Southeast, New Albany and it was announced that May 11 has been designated as "Senior Citizens Day" on the university campus.

Attending the meeting from Clark and Floyd Counties were Donna Greenhill, Grace Wright, Mary Lukemeier, William Higgins, Carmen VanWingen, Harlan Mayfield, Max Mason, Robert Holmes, Helen Lacy, Mary Vaught, Frances Quinn, George Beury, M.C. Preston, Rebecca and Harry Ramsey and Russell and Faith Rippy.

Workshop On Senior Citizens Held In N.A.

A workshop on resource development for senior citizens, conducted by Ralph Smith, coordinator of the state and federal projects at Vincennes University, was held in New Albany.

Attending the program from Clark and Floyd Counties were Catherine Richardson, Van Wingen, Mary Nunnemacker, Mary Edna Shannon, Mary Green, Thelma Bertrand, Jackie Cox, William Higgins, Evelyn Utley, Wanda Whitaker, Steven Crull, Guy Roehm, Gene Purlee, Velda Wolfe, Mary Loyola Bender, Mary Lukemeier, Mary Sanders, Jerry Weibert, Alma Ester, Oweetah Scott, Rebecca Ramsey, Lawrence Meyer, Lee Robinson and Cathy Childers.

The Jeffersonville Business and Professional Women's Club held installation of officers for the 1976-77 club year. Pictured from left are Donna Thornberry, president; Dorothea Brumbach, vice-president; Mary Lukemeier, recording secretary; Lou Seitz, corresponding secretary and Billie Williams, treasurer.

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NUTRITIONAL CENTER — New Albany Mayor Warren Nash and George Harris, right, chairman of the New Albany Housing Authority, were on hand recently for the opening of the newest Title VII rition Center at the William O. Vance Recreation Center. Martha Brown, site director for the program, serves up a hot meal to the distinguished visitors. The program serves one hot meal per day at several sites to elderly citizens of the tri-county area under a government-funded program. (Tribune Photo)

The Friends of Head Start recently presented the Head Start Organization with material for the 1974-75 school year. Pictured from left are Mary Magdalene Starks, Kate Wells Lawson, director of Friends of Head Start, Bessie Walls, director of Head Start, Terry L. Stephenson, executive director and Amanda Cole, Head Start teacher. Members not present were Carroline B. Wells, Jean Gordon and Mrs. Orl Thompson.

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Mrs. Julia Johnson, a recipient for the Title VII Nutrition program at the Gilt Edge Baptist Church, Jeffersonville and Mrs. Jan Bobbitt, a volunteer, were one of the first to ride in the new Title VII van. This van will be used to transport people to the meal sites, shopping centers and other points of interest.

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Monday, April 14: Black-eyed peas with ham, buttered carrots, tossed salad, rye bread, butter or fortified margarine, ice cream, milk.

Tuesday, April 15: Barbecued spare ribs, cauliflower with cheese, lima beans, white bread, butter or fortified margarine, pineapple chunks, milk.

Wednesday, April 16: Fried chicken, baked potato with sour cream, spinach, rye bread, butter or fortified margarine, orange cake, milk.

Thursday, April 17: Sauteed liver with gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, white bread, butter or fortified margarine, fruit cocktail, milk.

Friday, April 18: Surf-o-patty, cole slaw, peas with onion, corn bread, butter or fortified margarine, lemon pie, milk.

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Menu For The Elderly

The South Central Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc. has released a nutrition program menu for the elderly for the week of May 5 through May 9.

Monday, May 5: Chopped sirloin, beets, tossed salad with dressing, white bread, butter or fortified margarine, cake, milk.

Tuesday, May 6: Baked ham, sweet potatoes, green beans, cornbread, butter or fortified margarine, pineapple chunks, milk.

Wednesday, May 7: Beef barbeque, baked potatoes, kale greens, hamburger bun, butter or fortified margarine, ice cream, milk.

Thursday, May 8: Veal cutlet with gravy, lima beans, stewed tomatoes, white bread, butter or fortified margarine, fruit jello, milk.

Friday, May 9: Fried fish with tartar sauce, diced carrots, peas, cornbread, butter or fortified margarine, lemon pie, milk.

Mayor Richard Vissing proclaimed May 18 as "Older American Day." Pictured from left, front row, are Mrs. Caroline Wells, director of the Gilt Edge Baptist Church Hospitality Center; Mayor Richard Vissing and Mrs. Mary Inez Etheridge, president of the Association of Senior Citizens of the Clark Arms; back row, Rev. Ivan Ross, pastor of the Faith Lutheran Church and president of the Senior Citizens Division of Middle Road and Allison Lane Association; Charles Ruch, vice president of the Hilltoppers of the First Christian Church; Tom Horn, Senior Citizen representative; Mrs. Jane Roluts, Hospitality Center of Charlestown; Mrs. Pauline Johnson, Charlestown representative; Mrs. Frances Piercey, president of the Jeffersonville Senior Citizens; Mrs. Phyllis Abernathy, director of the Wall Street Hospitality Center; Lanna Rest, director of the Clark Arms Hospitality Center, Mrs. Thelma Bertrand, director of Southern Indiana Council of Aging and Aged and Mrs. Mary Sukeneier, director of Nutrition Program.

Mayor Proclaims Elders' Celebration

Mayor Richard Vissing proclaimed May 18 as "Older American Day" for the Jeffersonville Senior Citizens. The Clark Arms organization will host a luncheon at 11:30 a.m. for all senior citizens in the community. Congressman Lee Hamilton will be the guest speaker.

The luncheon will be served by the hospitality staff of the Title VII Nutrition Program. Reservations may be made by calling the Clark Arms before noon on Thursday, May 16.

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Best is ahead for Spring Mill, director says

MITCHELL, Ind. — The digging operations that have muddied portions of Spring Mill State Park and annoyed some visitors will improve the park, manager Richard Philpott says in asking patience.

A number of construction projects are underway at Spring Mill, which opened for the 1975 season April 4, and they are much in evidence.

New sewer lines throughout the park have resulted in ridges of mud and rock lining the roadways. The lawn in front of the Granny White House in Spring Mill Village has been full of deep, muddy ruts, the result of a leak in a water line unearthed during sewer construction.

Green Thumb workmen have been putting topsoil along the road from the gatehouse to the Grissom Memorial.

A sewage-treatment plant is reported 80 per cent complete. All lines have been laid and three lift stations installed in the $626,000 state-federal project.

A new swimming pool also is reported 80 per cent complete, and is to open Memorial Day weekend. The project was two weeks ahead of schedule until February's inclement weather arrived, Philpott stated.

The 186-site year-round campground is reportedly 15 per cent complete and is scheduled to open Labor Day weekend. Being built on the east side of the park, it will include four modern restroom buildings equipped for the handicapped; one heated restroom-shower and building can be used in winter. Other facilities include electricity and water lines to all campsites, a dumping station and a campground office.

When the campground, located about 400 feet off the main road to the pool, opens the Donaldson Campground will be converted to a picnic area. There will also be accommodations for families in the primitive campground area and a place for tent camping by groups.

Plans to relocate the saddle barn were dropped when the State Budget Committee cut funds from this year's allocations.

Spring Mill Inn will close May 1 for a major building and renovation project which includes an indoor-outdoor pool, a 300-capacity conference room, a larger kitchen, new wing and renovation of existing suites.

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Menu For The Elderly

The South Central Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc. has released a nutrition program menu for the elderly for the week of May 12 through May 16.

Monday, May 12: Pinto beans with chopped ham, baked candied apples, cole slaw, cornbread, butter or fortified margarine, cake, milk.

Tuesday, May 13: Liver with gravy, au grautin potatoes, buttered beets, white bread, butter or fortified margarine, fruit cocktail, milk.

Wednesday, May 14: Fried chicken, baked potato with sour cream, brussel sprouts, rye bread, butter or fortified margarine, butterscotch pie, milk.

Thursday, May 15: Swedish meat balls, tossed salad with dressing, chopped broccoli, white bread, butter or fortified margarine, ice cream, milk.

Friday, May 16: Macaroni and cheese, green beans, carrot and raisin salad, cornbread, butter or fortified margarine, iced brownie, milk.

Senior citizens fill center with vibrations

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and federal programs of interest and aid to them.

A monthly newsletter is put together by Viola Juncker, of Leavenworth, and is mailed and distributed to more than 300 persons. Funds to continue the newsletter were donated by students at St. Meinrad Seminary.

It was two students from St. Meinrad, Mike Sweeney and Gary Naegele, and Mrs. Juncker and her husband, Joe, who were instrumental in starting the center. Naegele and Sweeney were involved in a program at St. Meinrad called Project Respond. Its purpose was to visit shut-ins and nursing homes in Southern Indiana and to encourage community development of centers and programs for the elderly.

They discussed the program with the late Rev. Reginald Hadden of the Leavenworth Presbyterian Church, who, the following Sunday, called for volunteers to attend a meeting at St. Meinrad for those interested in forming a senior citizens group. The Junckers, Joy Mock, and Betty Edwards, also from the Leavenworth area, volunteered to attend.

That was in June, 1973. The next August the first organizational meeting was held and a steering committee formed.

The storefront building that houses the center is supplied rent-free by the Wyandotte Corp. Improvements, furniture, appliances, dishes and a lending library have been donated or purchased by interested citizens and center members.

Many of the members had known one another for years but hadn't seen one another since the '37 flood when half the people moved from old Leavenworth on the river to its present location on Highway 62.

The Junckers were quick to mention the names of others who contribute to the club's activities. Juncker is chairman of the group; Marcella Beals, co-chairman; Margie Pate and Elwood Ewing, secretaries; Emma Myers and Joy Mock, treasurers, and there are committees headed by Betty Edwards, Mrs. Juncker, Mary Sacksteder and Ross Pluris.

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Program gives elderly nutrition and friends

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per meal of $1.15 at the Clark, Floyd and Harrison sites, where the meals are provided by the Tommy Lancaster catering service in New Albany.

The difference between the amount paid by recipients of the meals and the actual price is offset by federal funding, which also covers administrative costs.

Indiana is to get $2,259,935 this fiscal year in Title VII money.

The South Central Council is funded $139,152 to maintain three meal sites in Jeffersonville at Clark Arms, Gilt Edge Baptist Church and Wall Street United Methodist Church; two sites in New Albany at Beechwood Center and Parkview Towers; a site at the Charlestown Community Building; a site at the Corydon Christian Church, and one at Red's Smorgasbord in Scottsburg.

Mrs. Lukemeier said that space for the meals is donated. She added that an equivalent of more than $5,000 in services is donated monthly by volunteers who assist in such capacities as serving, cleaning up and transportation.

About 100 meals are delivered daily to persons confined to their homes from the South Central Council.

The daily menu at the meal sites includes a meat portion, two vegetables, bread and butter, a dessert and a half pint of milk. Chicken, which is served once a week, is the favorite meat of most.

The elderly persons discussing the program last week praised it highly. The food received equally high marks.

Nevertheless, many older persons who could benefit from the program and are in need of better nutrition do not participate.

According to Ora Lea Wann, state Title VII project coordinator, there are nearly 5,500 persons aged 60 and over living below the poverty index in the four-county area. The breakdown by county: Floyd, 1,970; Clark, 1,776; Harrison, 1,053, and Scott, 673.

Mrs. Wann said the projected need is further defined through other 1970 Census information. There are approximately 950 elderly men living alone, who probably have had little cooking experience. Also there are more than 8,000 elderly persons in the four counties without driver's licenses.

The additional older persons who would benefit from Title VII have either rejected it for personal reasons, are unaware of it or live in areas inaccessible to the meal sites, which are concentrated in urban areas.

"If we had the funds to expand, we would reach out into the counties," Mrs. Lukemeier said.

Both at the area and state levels the program is in a "bind" expansion wise, due to the limited availability of federal funds, she said.

Mrs. Lukemeier said she would like to do more outreach work next to encourage more persons to come to the meal sites, but adds:

"We are in a bind. I feel like we want to do more outreach work next year to enfunds and have to turn people away that would create a negative image."

Unlike poverty programs, the Title VII meals are open to anyone aged 60 and over. Mrs. Lukemeier believes this fact has provided a boost to the program, turning out persons who would not participate if it were connected with welfare or the poverty programs.

Photo by Schley Cox

LUNCH AT the Beechwood Community Center in New Albany, Ind., is enjoyed by many, including Mrs. Edna Lafollette, in the foreground. The food is served to those over 60 under the Title VII Nutrition Program for the Elderly, which was begun in Indiana on Oct. 8, 1973.

'Fun Night' swings for senior citizens

By MARY JO MOSS
Louisville Times Staff Writer

LEAVENWORTH, Ind. — Automobiles lined the street. Men gathered on the front porch of the brightly painted Ohio Valley Community Center for Senior Citizens and talked.

Inside, tables were set and the ladies were in the kitchen cutting pies and cakes.

The men filed in, taking off caps and hats. Drums, guitar, and other musical instruments sat in the back of the room. Everyone took a plate and a door-prize number.

After dinner the tables were folded away and chairs were scooted into a circle around an upright piano. Gary Goodman, student pastor at the Leavenworth Presbyterian Church, took out his guitar and sang. People clapped and sang along.

Then the group's own band took the floor and soon resin was flying, feet were tapping, tambourines, blocks, flute and a washboard were passed around and the little room was filled with vibrations.

David Doolittle plucked the banjo. Harry (Doc) Bunch, 83, played drums. Audrey Myers, who has had several true confession-type stories published, played the violin. Bealie Roll played guitar, Lavonne Roll played accordion, and Mabel Roll took the piano.

It was "Fun Night" at the senior citizens' center, a bimonthly activity headed by Bea Wright. Like many of the group members, she lives close to the senior citizens' center in this Crawford County town of less than 400. The center draws people of all ages from the Leavenworth, Alton, Beechwood, Fredonia, Riddle and Marengo areas of the county.

The center has more than 135 members, and in its 20 months in existence has become the focal point for a variety of activities for elderly citizens. "Fun Night" is only one activity. There is quilting, ceramics, sightseeing and educational trips, picnics, sales to bring in money for the all-volunteer programs.

The Title VII Nutrition program, provided by the federal government to promote good nutrition, inexpensive meals, and fellowship for senior citizens, serves 25-30 hot meals a day.

Volunteers also provide transportation to center activities, shopping centers, nearby towns, doctors, churches, any place there is a need. Members are continually being informed of local, state,

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Staff Photos by Tom Hart

A group of men sits outside talking while a country-music band plays at the Ohio Valley Community Center for Senior Citizens in Leavenworth, Ind. From left, above, are Alfred Rainbolt, George Myers, Elbert Ewing and Paul Coleman. At right, Everna Spurgeon, left, and her sister-in-law, Ann Spurgeon, add their part to the musical evening.

'DOGWOOD IS BUSTING OUT ALL OVER'

Queen of the Dogwood Festival will be crowned tonight in ceremonies held in the high school cafetorium. Judging in the queen contest began this afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Lindley. A band concert will precede coronation ceremonies beginning at 7 p.m. The middle school band will perform "Black and White" and the "Theme from Gunsmoke". Concert pieces to be performed by the high school band will be "McArthur Park' and "Seasons in the Sun".

Final queen competition will follow the concert. School art contest winners and chess champions will be announced and awards presented between final judging and the coronation. 1973 Dogwood Festival Queen, Miss Jane Hill, will crown the new queen from the court of four senior and four junior girls.

Euchre tournament games will continue at 7:30 p.m. on Friday evening in the town hall. The horseshoe tournament will begin at 7 p.m. in the park and continued Saturday night. There will be entertainment in the park and the school dance will commence there at 8 p.m. Friday.

Youngsters will be parading and proudly showing their pets starting at 10 a.m. in the park on Saturday morning. Wee folk will be invited back, minus, the pets, at noon for the annual Kiwanis paint-in on the sidewalks of the park. Legion Auxiliary members will be holding a bake sale in the legion hall beginning at 9 a.m. that morning and the Kiwanis food stand will open at 11 a.m. The Kiwanians have been serving festival goers since Wednesday evening.

PARADE TROPHIES

Trophies will be awarded to more than 20 different entries in the Saturday afternoon Dogwood Festival parade. Originating from the high school, the parade will begin at 2:30 p.m. traveling down Maple to Vincennes road and continue on Vincennes to Fourth Street where it will turn north and return to the high school.

Tammy Lindley will be official parade marshal leading units of clowns, bands, horses, antique cars, floats, marching and military groups, fire departments and commercial entries.

Parade committee chairman, W. H. Landreth, is advising that no parking will be enforced the afternoon of the parade on Maple from the corner of Jackson to Monroe Street. Traffic will be blockaded on Adams Street at both the Fourth and Second street interesections. Only residents of those streets will be permitted through the blockade. The street encircling the high school from the agricultural building on Maple to Wilson will also be barricaded.

Anyone who has not obtained or turned in a parade entry form may be at the parade congregating site at the high school prior to 1:15 p.m. to enter the entourage. Members of the parade units are advised to wait at the high school following the return and disbanding of the parade for trophy winners to be awarded.

Members of the parade committee are also advising there will no mini bikes in the parade this year. Bicycle riders and licensed motorcycles drivers will be permitted.

SUNDAY TOURS

On Sunday, closing day of the festival, the Kiwanis countryside tour and dinner will begin at 11, 11:45 and 12:15 from the park. The Phi Beta Psi home tours will commence at 1, 2 and 3 p.m. The final festival activity will be a community church service to be held in the United Methodist Church at 7:30 p.m. Sunday evening.

Craft days of the festival, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, will feature a number of continuing events. Artist and Craftsmen will be located in booths set up in the former Och's Funiture building on Lincoln Street, in the town park and around the square. Come along for an armchair tour, starting in the park. First Chance Center will be back with us this year in the bandstand, selling items made by students at the center. As we wander around the park, we find Elnora Nelson and Harriett Foster, Paoli, and their homemade purses, and Phoebe Johnson with her aprons, bonnets and other needlework. Barbara Tarr will have handmade needle work and as we travel toward the fountain, Keith Mundy, a 14-year-old from Bedford, will be displaying his oil and chalk paintings as will Dorothy Sherwood, another artist.

On the far side of the square will be Barbara Dickason, Charleston, showing a variety of crafts like decoupage, tole, stuffed animals and others, from a travel trailer. Across the street from the Progress Examiner building will be Beulah Freed and Norma Singleton from Campbellsburg, busily making apple butter in "Granny's Kitchen". You will appreciate seeing what grandma used to go through making apple butter and the ladies will be glad to sell you a jar of their finished product.

ARTIST & CRAFTSMEN

From the park, sidewalk signs will point the way to the former Och's furniture building where a number of craftsmen will be located. Patti Harwood. Crawfordsville, will be there with her ceramics, "Angel Gifts by Patti", Just inside the door will be Gloyne Holaday's refinished furniture and wood crafts. Mrs. Margaret Quigley, Mitchell, will be next with decoupage, followed by Rev. and Mrs. Keith Mann with ceramics. Look for Rev. Mann in the park, too, with one of his chalk drawings reflected with special lighting.

Also in the Och's building will be Jane Morgan with crocheted beads, Nancy Carter with hand crocheted dogwood pillows. Mrs. Orville Milleford, Bloomington, and Mr. Willeford presenting a variety of handmade items.

Candles anyone? Ruth Classen from the Candle Cottage in Salem will be a part of the art and crafts booths, too. Mrs. Curtiss Melloncamp, Vallonia, and Mrs. Paul Terkhorn, Brownstown, will be displaying crocheted articles, shadow boxes, painting and other things. Also in the building will be Julia Miller to illustrate a popular craft, tube painting. She will have pillowcases, tableclothes, etc. for sale.

Lincoln and Jackson Streets. Dealers who will be participating in the show this year include Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Thompson, Madison; Mr. and Mrs. William Halterman, Rutland, Ill.; Reva Mary Baker, Loogootee; Mrs. Reva Vickers, Linton; Clarence Trowbridge, Scottsburg; Mrs. Mildred McNeely, Paoli and Mrs. Ruth Swavzee. Mrs. Evelyn Gray and Mrs. Norma J. Willis all of Orleans.

A variety of floral arrangements and art work will be on display in the REMC annex. The show will be open from 1 until 8:30 p.m. Friday, 10 until 8:30 p.m. on Saturday and 10 until 5 p.m. on Sunday. Both amateur and professional flower entries will be in the judged show and the judged art work on display will be contributions from school children.

Antique and modern needlework will be displayed in the American Legion home during the craft days. Hours for the show, sponsored by the legion, will be 12-6 Fri., 9-6 Sat. and 12-5 Sunday. Local Business and Professional Women will host a hospitality house in the Farm and Supply storeroom serving coffee and cookies to festival guests and providing a map of the events. Entertainment in the park, the U. S. Army display, antique card display in the bank, will be open to visitors throughout the craft days.

Another stop to make the arts and crafts visits complete would be the basement of the libary. Orange Co. extension homemakers will be exhibiting items just for viewing and some for sale, there. Upstairs in the library will be lovely paintings from local and area artists. The display will be for viewing only, the paintings will not be for sale, but would be an opportunity for amateurs and professionals alike, to show their talent.

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A CRUISE ON THE BELLE. . .The Title VII Nutrition Program sponsored a cruise on the Belle of Louisville last Thursday for senior citizens of Charlestown. Shown above preparing to board the bus are (l. to r.): Bessie Stricker, Helen Howard, Myrtle Caudill, Rev. and Mrs. Lewis Poore and Beulah Cook.

Helping Older Citizens

Sunday Ledger-Tribune

PEOPLE

By PAT BAQLEY
'People Editor'

We've just skimmed the surface," says Thelma Bertrand, executive director of the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc. Area 14 Agency, which is an umbrella organization for programs involving senior citizens. The Area 14 Agency takes in the Title VII Nutrition Program, RSVP (Retired Senior Volunteer Program), activity centers, transportation, information and referral and many other services provided for older citizens.

"We had no idea when we started our Title VII program that things would work out as well as they have. We are federally funded to serve 328 meals and we have supplemental funding to serve 62 additional persons, or 390 meals per day. But as figures for September came in, we found we were feeding some 493 persons daily at our nine meal sites," says Mrs. Bertrand.

Also according to the figures, 16,655 meals were served over the level of funding during the period Oct. 1, 1974 to Sept. 30, 1975 for a total of 118,055 meals served during this same period. And if figures hold out the way they're going, the meal sites are estimated to serve 127,200 meals by the end of the year for an increase over last year of 9,145 meals.

Mrs. Bertrand took over the job of exeucitve director of the Area 14 Agency in January 1973 and began planning for the program designed to provide a nutritious hot meal daily for the elderly. "If I had it to do all over again," says Mrs. Bertrand, "the only thing I would change was the opening of six meal sites simult-aneously. It sure was a monumental undertaking all at one time, we just couldn't believe things worked out as well as they did, and I don't think we'd have done as well if it hadn't been for the volunteer help we received from Church Women United."

Not only does the council see that the elderly is provided a hot meal daily, but it also provides transportation to the sites for those who are physically able to go, and for those who are not, volunteers from the Church Women United group delivers approximately 125 meals daily for those who are shut-in.

The council has three vans operating in Floyd, Clark, Harrison and Scott Counties providing transportation to the sites, with the vans in Floyd, Scott and Harrison, also providing additional transportaton to the elderly for trips to the doctor, grocery, pharmacy or anywhere the senior citizens want to go locally and need transportation to get there. And like the meals served daily, participants in the program pay according to their ability, if they can't contribute, they're not turned away. Envelopes are provided at the meal sites so no on ever knows what the other is contributing.

Reservations for the meal sites and transportation elsewhere must be made at least one day in advance Monday through Friday by calling the center 948-9161.

Mrs. Bertrand says the vans were utilized by 1,681 elderly persons during one month recently. "The vans have worked out really well, about the only thing I really feel we need in the way of transportation is a car, so we can fill the many requests from Cancer patients who call and ask if we can take them to Louisville hospitals for treatment." "We feel we just can't tie up a 12-passenger van for up to a half-day at a time, which in some cases would be the amount of time needed for such treatment," says Mrs. Bertrand. "We have to be very frugal with the dollars we receive, because the more money we save the more we can feed."

Also under the umbrella of the Agency 14, is an information and referral service for all non-profit agencies and the council has compiled a composit directory in large type so it can be easily read by the elderly to find where they can go to have their needs met.

Also, the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged at 317 E. 5th Street in New Albany is the site for the Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) which has 342 active senior volunteers in Clark, Floyd, Harrison and Scott Counties, serving 23 communities in these counties. Program director, Jacqueline Cox. says "these people are great, they receive absolutely no reimbursement, all of their time and service is donated to their communities free of charge!"

At the present, there are 32 volunteer stations where these volunteers serve. These include hospitals, nursing homes, meal sites, schools, museums, libraries and most all non-profit charitable organizations.

RSVP volunteers have literally banded together to form the Red Hot Rhythmaires, a senior citizens band that is currently performing during senior citizens night at the Holiday Inn in New Albany and in nursing homes throughout the area. The group is becoming so popular that they have had offers to play during other senior citizens nights and at charitable affairs.

During the past year, RSVP volunteers which range in age from 60 to 94 contributed over 42,000 hours of service to their communities, a huge savings

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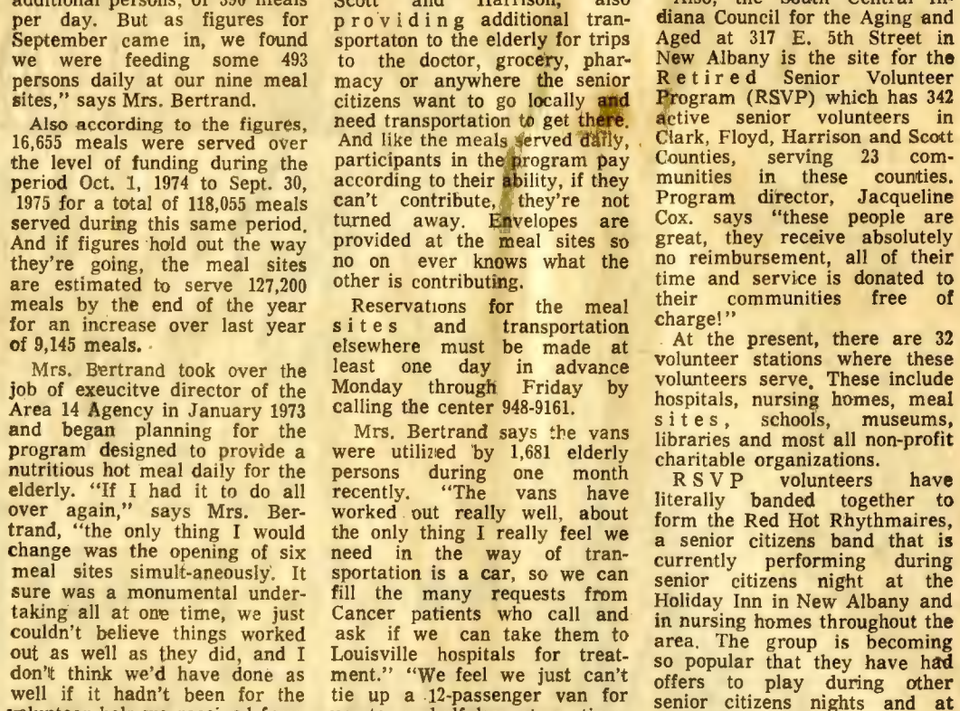
ON THE JOB — Making up the staff at the 317 E. Fifth St. site of the South Central Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc. Area 14 Agency are from left, Mary Lukemeier, Evelyn Utley, Wanda Whitaker, Mary Sanders, Jackie Cox, Doris Beets, Guy Roehm, Grace Wilcox, and Bill Higgins. Salaries of most staff members are funded through other agencies such as Manpower, or they are available through grants which inables most Council money to go towards serving more meals at the nutrition sites.

GETTING A NUTRITIOUS MEAL — This is the Beechwood Title VII nutrition site in the Beechwood Housing Project. During the month of September, the program served 493 hot meals at the nine meal sites in Floyd, Clark, Harrison and Scott Counties. The Title VII program is now serving 103 more meals than it is funded for, according to latest figures released from the office of the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc. in New Albany. Reservations for meals must be made one day ahead.



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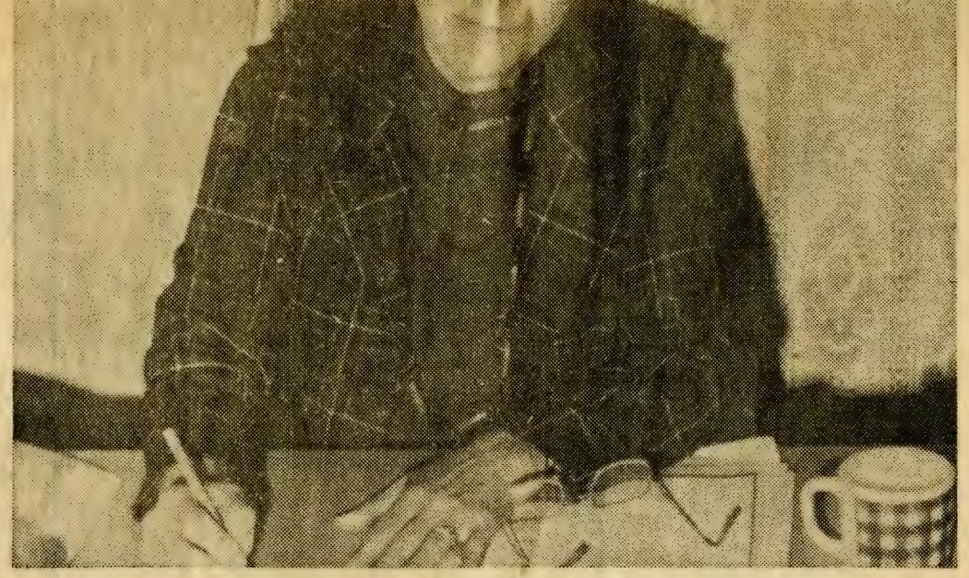

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Women

All news copy for the women's pages should be typed and double-spaced if at all possible. Wedding and engagement stories which have previously been submitted to or appeared in another local daily newspaper will not be published in The Tribune. Deadline for wedding news is one week after the wedding.

MISS MARY LYNN CLUTINGER

Clutinger-Atherton Vows To Be Exchanged Nov. 15

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard J. Clutinger of Georgetown, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary Lynn, to Dave Atherton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilliam H. Atherton of Palmyra.

The wedding will take place Nov. 15, 7:30 p.m. at the Tunnel Hill Christian Church, Edwardsville.

Miss Clutinger is a 1971 graduate of Floyd Central High School and is employed by Kincheloe Radio Service, Louisville.

Her fiance is a 1973 graduate of the University of Evansville and is employed at the Brown & Williamson Tobacco Corporation, Louisville.

All friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend the ceremony and the reception immediately following in the church fellowship hall.

Getting It Down . . . . . Pat

Well, everyone else is getting in on the upcoming 1976 bicentennial of the signing of the Declaration of Independence, so I thought I might as well get into the act too.

But I'd like to tell you a couple historical notes that you may have missed during your school history lessons.

For instance, take the Liberty Bell. Now, I know someone out there is flicking a cigar right this minute, walking stooped over and saying "I'd take it but I don't think I could carry it." Come on now, be serious.

Did you know the Liberty Bell had had a history of proclaiming liberty long before that historic July day in 1776? No?, Well it did.

It seems in 1681, Charles II paid off a debt which he had owed to William Penn's father by granting the son a tract of land in the New World as large as all of England. Penn, a Quaker, had been persecuted in England because of his religious beliefs and he resolved that in the colony he planned on the land given to him, all who came to settle would be granted the right to worship God as they pleased without fear of punishment or persecution.

In 1751 the Pennsylvania Assembly decided to secure a suitable bell to call people together for proclamations and other public functions and because a suitable bell couldn't be found in America at that time, an order was placed with Thomas Lester's Whitechapel Foundry in London.

Mindful of the 50 years of peace and prosperity that the colony called Pennsylvania had enjoyed, the Assembly found in Leviticus 25, 10 an appropriate text and ordered that the latter part, "Proclaim liberty throughout all the land unto all the inhabitants thereof," be permanently inscribed on the bell.

When completed, the bell was brought back to Pennsylvania by ship in 1752. Since the tower for the bell was not complete it was put on a temporary truss where upon the first stroke of some say "an over eager" colonial bell ringer, it cracked.

The foundry that cast the bell was distraught, it was the first time in the company's 400 years of casting bells that one had ever cracked.

No ship was available to take it back, so it was recast with additional copper to make it less brittle. But, the sound coming from the bell was so terrible it was once again melted down and recast. This time it was satisfactory and was hung in the steeple of the old State House.

While there, it rang defiance of the English tax and trade restrictions. It gleefully announced the Boston Tea Party and on Sept. 1, 1774 it welcomed 40 delegates to the First Continental Congress.

April 24, 1775 it was muffled to toll the news brought by a weary rider that war had begun with the battles of Lexington and Concord. Then in 1776, it rang out summoning citizens of Philadelphia for the reading of the Declaration of Independence.

For half a century after July 1776 the bell was known as the "Independence Bell." Not until 1839 did it come to be known as the "Liberty Bell."

And there, folks, is your history lesson for this Sunday morning.

MR. AND MRS. LAWRENCE C. KRUER

50th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence C. Kruer, 4967 New Brownsboro Road, Louisville will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday Oct. 26 with a reception from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Holy Trinity Church activities center, 501 Cherrywood Rd., Louisville. Mass at 1 p.m. at Holy Trinity Church.

Mrs. Kruer is the former Louise Sprigler. Her husband retired from Universal Chevrolet Company in 1968.

Wed Oct. 20, 1925 at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Floyds Knobs, the couple has three children. They are Lawrence Kruer, Jr., Waddy, Ky.; James M. Kruer, Louisville, and Merle J. Kruer, Chicago.

The couple also has 16 grandcrildren.

All relatives and friends are invited to join in the celebration. No gifts, please.

Senator's Wife Will Be Here

Mrs. Martha Hartke, wife of Indiana Senator Vance Hartke (D) will appear in New Albany on Monday, Oct. 20, 10 a.m., at the Robert E. Lee Inn to attend a brunch in her honor, with Mrs. Warren Nash as hostess for the event. Candidates vieing in the upcoming November election will also attend the brunch.

The public is invited to attend, and no reservations are necessary. For those wishing to attend and who have children, babysitting will be provided.

Wedding Coming Up?

If there is a wedding coming up in your family, please note the Tribune's ONE WEEK DEADLINE ON ALL WEDDING NEWS!

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Attorney Is Guest Speaker

Barbara Buchanan introduced guest speaker, local attorney, Basil Lorch III, to Xi-Theta members at their first meeting in October. They enjoyed an interesting and information talk and discussion of "The Woman and Sex Discrimination."

Rita Marking, president followed the talk, calling the first regular October business meeting to order. Rita Schueler, secretary, called roll and read previous minutes.

Rita communicated the "International Heartbeat for October," keeping the Beta Sigma Phi dream big. An invitation was read inviting Xi-Thetas to attend the Business and Professional Women's luncheon Oct. 25.

Vice-president, Mary Chovan, announced that a traditional ritual for new members will be held the first meeting in November for June Quinn, Nancy Shepherd and Helen McCloud.

Plans were finalized for the skit for convention, bid for the bowling tournament in 1977, the Beta Sigma Phi queen's dinner and the Pilgrims Ball to be held at the Marriott Inn, Nov. 16.

Alma Fischer, chapter director, concluded the meeting with her Beta Sigma Phi topic for review, "Membership Into Beta Sigma Phi by Invitation."

Paula Ferrell, co-hostess, served apple cider and doughnuts to 21 members and two guests.

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for the communities in terms of actual money. RSVP volunteers also gather at 17 workshops in various locations each month where they make items for use in nursing homes, schools, and therapy sessions. Material and supplies used in making the items are donated by local residents, and the program is always looking for, and glad to receive, any kind of supplies that may be used in making these articles.

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Executive director, Bertrand says the Area 14 Council also funds the D.N.C. operated Dial-A-Care program which provides reassurance calls to elderly shut-ins. The council additionally operates a nutrition program in co-operation with the Floyd County Extension Service, whereby extension service workers go to meal sites and into homes to teach nutrition to older people.

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"We've been very fortunate," says Thelma Bertrand, "We've had so many donate to us, it's unbelieveable. When we have visitors from other areas observe our operation, they can't believe the cooperation we have received and I always tell them it's because people from needs so much better than anywhere else."

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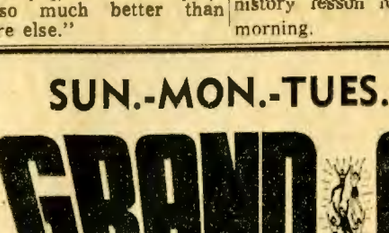

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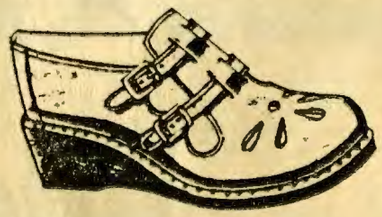

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County senior queen will be chosen Friday

Harrison County Senior Queen will be chosen Friday, June 13, 4 p. m. at the Senior Citizens Center in Corydon.

The winner will receive a crown, trophy and flowers. The first and second runners-up will be awarded a trophy. The contest is open to ladies over 60 years old who are county residents. The area queen competition will be Aug. 2 and that winner will be a contestant for state senior queen Aug. 15 at Indianapolis.

Senior Citizens will hold a cookie contest at the Harrison County Fair. Deadline to enter is July 28, 4 p. m. Each exhibitor is to bring six homemade cereal cookies on a paper plate covered with plastic wrap plus two copies of the recipe. First place winner will demonstrate the recipe at the Indiana State Fair Aug. 15. She will receive free transportation, entrance tickets and free basic recipe ingredients.

Senior Citizens plan a trip July 5 to Spring Mill State Park. Transportation will be furnished.

Last month senior citizens held a pitch-in dinner at the center with 68 attending. Mrs. Edna Sims of Logansport, Ind. visited the center as guest of Mrs. Nora Rupp and Mrs. Lydia Turley. Citizens saw the movie "The Great Gatsby" in Clarksville. The next movie date is Friday, June 27. Admission is 75 cents with transportation furnished. The van will return to Corydon about 5 p. m.

Future plans at the center include an old fashioned quilting bee in the new, large room in back. Work continues on enclosing the front porch of the building.

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Music, Skit Practicing Slated For Senior House

Music and laughter will be heard during the next week at the Scott County Senior House.

Mrs. Marge Julian, co-site director for the center, stated that persons involved with a senior citizens skit, which will be presented at the Indiana State Fair Friday, August 15, will be practicing their skills Tuesday, August 12 at the Senior House.

Mrs. Doris Beets and Helen Pierson will be on hand to direct the group's efforts as well as provide some musical entertainment that day, Mrs. Julian related.

On Friday, the Scott County Senior van will leave the local center at 9:00 a.m. for Indianapolis and "Senior Day" at the Indiana State Fair, she said, adding that any senior citizen wishing transportation to Indianapolis should contact Senior House personnel as soon as possible.

"We can only take 12 persons on the van and we've just about reached our capacity now," Mrs. Julian commented.

The telephone number for reservations is 752-4134, she noted.

Also on the agenda for that Friday is an afternoon devotions session led by Reverend Norman Ponder from the Grace Baptist Church in Scottsburg.

Slated on the Title VII Nutrition Program menu for the week of August 11 through 15 are meals including for MONDAY: Beef chunks in barbecue sauce, mashed potatoes, brussel sprouts, rye bread, and ice cream; TUESDAY: Fried chicken, baked potato with sour cream, sliced carrots, white bread, and applesauce; WEDNESDAY: Roast beef, baked candied apples, spinach, corn bread, and butterscotch pudding; THURSDAY: Sauteed liver with gravy, tossed salad with dressing, mashed potatoes, white bread, and fruit jello; and FRIDAY: Tuna noodle casserole, green beans, cole slaw, corn bread, chocolate pie, and cheese and crackers.

Senior citizens wishing participate in the meals program are asked to make reservations on day in advance by calling the Senior House at 752-4134, advised the co-site director.

The total number of persons served during the week of July 28 through August 1 was 169, Mrs. Julian reported.

Hot lunch menu

Here is the hot lunch menu for June 16-20 served at noon in the Senior Citizen Center, Corydon.

Monday: sliced beef with gravy, mashed potatoes, chopped broccoli, rye bread and apricots.

Tuesday: pinto beans with chopped ham, baked apples, chopped mixed greens, corn bread and custard pie.

Wednesday: chicken livers with mushroom gravy, baked potato, peas, whole wheat bread, and pineapple chunks.

Thursday: Swedish meatballs, tossed salad with dressing, cauliflower with cheese and ice cream.

Friday: baked fish with tartar sauce, green beans, stewed tomatoes, corn bread and cake.

Reservations must be made the day before between 10 a. m. - 12:30 p. m. by calling 738-3410 or 738-3065.

The Clark County Senior Citizen Queen Contest was held last evening in conjunction with the 1975 Jeffersonville Jaycee Fair. Pictured from left are Buelah Cook, first runner-up; Daisy McDaniel, queen and Alice Crowe, second runner-up.

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Of Interest to Women

Jurie Lindley, right, electric living consultant representative Public Service of Indiana, presented a program entitled "House Plants, How To," to members of the Title VII Nutrition Program of Jeffersonville. Pictured with the honored guest are Phyllis Abernathy, left, site director for Nutrition Program and Maybell Spieth, center, project council member.

Members of the Jeffersonville Retired Senior Volunteer Program participated in a steam trip to Danville, Kentucky. Among those attending, pictured from left, first row, were Ada Wiseman, Ruth Kiefer, Cecil Landwehr and Margie Monrow; second row, Marie Allen, Bessie Swank, Mable Hinton, LaNora Resch and Edna Hart.

Is it the flu or really that dirty kitchen?

Associated Press

DAYTON, Ohio—Clean hands can be the most important ingredient to a safely cooked meal, according to John Bindeman, in charge of restaurant and grocery inspections in the Dayton area.

"The biggest outbreak of sickness is caused by people who don't wash their hands properly," said Bindeman. "The number one rule for home or any place where food is served: Keep hands clean at all times."

There should also be a general cleanliness of floors, walls and ceilings where the food is cooked, he said.

Tummy aches, diarrhea or what was thought to have been a 24-hour flu bug, are often caused by a cook who failed the clean kitchen test, he said.

There should be a thorough washing and sanitizing of dishes, he added, noting that air drying is preferable to drying with a towel.

Meat slicers and cutting boards should be thoroughly cleaned between slicing of raw pork and beef, he said. Pork often harbors the trichinosis worm which is killed in cooking.

But beef, which is often served rare, could be contaminated with the worm. Since it is not cooked thoroughly, Bindeman said the worm can invade the human body and cause severe problems.

Raw chicken is sometimes contaminated with the salmonella organism, which also is killed by cooking. But it can contaminate other things through an uncleaned cutting board.

The best way to avoid contamination is through the temperature, said Bindeman. "Keep it hot or keep it cold," he advises.

"In restaurants, we look for perishable hot foods," he said. "The warming temperature must be at least 140 degrees or the bacteria will grow.

"If the food is refrigerated, it must be cooled to at least 45 degrees, no higher. The lower the temperature, the longer the food will last. Milk will keep several weeks if kept at temperatures of 35 degrees or lower. It will keep on the grocer's shelf two weeks at 40 degrees."

"If you cook a large roast, refrigerate while still warm," Bindeman said. "As soon as you can touch it without burning your finger, store in the refrigerator."

Garbage should be kept in tight containers, Bindeman said. "A plastic milk container is ideal," he said. "It cuts off odors, keeps the flies out and keeps your garbage can clean."

Can openers, like the cutting board or meat slicer, should be thoroughly cleaned after each use to keep bacteria from accumulating.

Staff Photo by Melissa Farlow

Friends can come in handy

Florence Jennings, left, and Mrs. Roy Funk cast long, thin shadows yesterday afternoon as they walked hand-in-hand down Third Street toward their home at Hillebrand House, 1235 S. Third.

THE EVENING NEWS, JEFFERSONVILLE, INDIANA

A HUMAN RELATIONS DINNER was held recently by the Greater Clark County Education Association at the Fulton Terrace Community Building. Persons honored at the affair were, from left, Mrs. Katie Wells Lawson, chairman of the Human Relations Committee, Hobart Mullins, Mrs. Annetta Raines, William Dooley and Lloyd Frazer.

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Proposed Senior Bus Schedule Is Released

Transportation Chairman Hal Simmonds released a tentative schedule for the new Scott County Senior House bus this week.

According to Simmonds, who is employed by the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, the proposed schedule will route the bus to the Austin Post Office on Monday mornings at 10:15 a.m., arriving in downtown Scottsburg at 11:00 a.m.

On Wednesdays, the bus will stop to pick up passengers at the Henryville Post Office at 10:15 a.m. as well as the Key Market in Underwood at 10:30 a.m. and will arrive in Scottsburg at 11:00 a.m.

At 10:15 a.m. on Fridays, the vehicle will stop at Englishton Park near Lexington and the Lexington Post Office at 10:25 a.m., arriving in Scottsburg at 11:00 a.m.

Simmonds stated that the bus will be left "free" Tuesdays and Thursdays to service those senior citizens who may have doctor appointments or other business elsewhere.

Although the bus has not actually been received by the Senior House, indications are that the vehicle will be turned over to the local center "sometime near the first of the year," the transportation chairman advised.

"We also hope that by having the bus, more senior citizens out in the county will be able to attend the Title VII Nutrition program at the Senior House in Scottsburg," he remarked.

Formerly used by the Green Thumb Agency, the surplus vehicle will be manned by a driver supplied by that agency, Simmonds said.

Saturday, July 12, 1975

Work On Fair Projects To Busy Senior Citizens

Participants at the Scott County Senior House will be busy this week finishing projects for the 1975 Fair, advised site director Dorothy Linzay this week.

"We're still working on our quilt and we hope to have that done by the end of the week," Mrs. Linzay said, adding that anyone interested in helping on the quilt should contact the Senior House.

On Monday, July 14, Miss Jackie Cox, director of the Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP), will hold another session at the House, finishing tray favors.

All RSVP volunteers are urged to attend Monday's workshop and assist in this project, the site director related.

Aside from regular activities of bowling on Wednesday afternoons and card-playing, on Friday Reverend Don Hepler from the First Christian Church in Scottsburg will host the devotions period, Mrs. Linzay noted.

Set as the Title VII Nutrition Program menu for the coming week of July 14 through 18 is for MONDAY: Breaded pork tenderloin, broccoli with cheese, stewed tomatoes, rye bread, and fruit cocktail; TUESDAY: Beef barbecue sandwich, cream style corn, green beans, and applesauce; WEDNESDAY: Beef liver, scalloped potatoes, carrot salad, white bread, and cake; THURSDAY: Turkey and gravy, dressing, cranberry salad, corn bread, and ice cream; and FRIDAY: Fried fish, cole slaw, buttered beets, white bread, and lemon pie.

Those wishing to attend meals at the Senior House are required to call in reservations one day in advance, Mrs. Linzay advised.

The local center's telephone number is 752-4134, she said, and the building is open from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Programs at the Senior House, located at 183 South Second Street in Scottsburg, are sponsored by the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc.

Wed., July 9, 1975 The Tribune, New Albany, Page 5

COUPLE WED — A pre-wedding reception was held at Beechwood Community Center for Mrs. Blanche Jackson and Charles Box prior to their wedding Monday evening June 30. The reception was planned by Mary Carmickle, site director at Beechwood with volunteers assisting. The bride, age 70, and the groom, age 73, have been attending the Title VII Nutrition Program luncheons for over a year. He is an employee at Culbertson Avenue Baptist Church and she volunteers at the Nutrition Site two to three days a week. "This is the first wedding of Title VII participants since the program's inception October 8, 1973," notes Mary Lukemeier, project director.

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An ice cream social will be held Friday, July 12 at the Corydon Presbyterian Church from 4:00-9:00 p.m. Pies, sandwiches, ice cream and cake—all homemade. h81-1np

THE TITLE VII Nutrition Program year for Clark, Floyd, Harrison and Scott Counties will end September 30. Bids for Food Service will be open until July 12, 1974, for the year October 1, 1974 to September 30, 1975. For further information call the Nutrition Office 948-8873. h81-1np

Senior Citizens' Cookie Contest results

Senior Citizens' Cookie Contest Awards: 1st Blue Ribbon, Mrs. Amzil Adams; 2nd Blue Ribbon, Mrs. Pearl Mauck; 3rd Blue Ribbon, Mrs. Charlotte Shireman; 4th Blue Ribbon, Mrs. Mardelle Rhodes; 2nd Place Red Ribbons, Mrs. Daisy Hanger, Mrs. Rosa Cunningham, Mrs. Charlette Ledford, Dorthy Watson, Ambrosia Hughes, Mrs. Edith Miller, Mrs. Harriet Trobaugh; 3rd Place White Ribbons, Elva Sanders, Ola Branderburg, Thelma Sherrill, Thelma Turner, Gay Lang, Wilhelmena Yurley, Rebecca Ramsey.

The following are winners in the Home Economics Products Class of the Harrison County Fair:

Crocheted Accessories, Darlene Durbin, First; Embroidered Accessories, Terri Lopp, First; Paula Baumgart, Second; Fancy Pot Holders, Terri Lopp, First; Ardella Dodge, Second; Practical Pillows, Mary Bryant, First; May Miller, Second; Fancy Sheer Aprons, Cathy Alstott, First; Gingham or other Aprons, Leona Hichman, First; Mardell Rhodes, Second; Kitchen Aprons, Mardell Rhodes, First; Mary Jane Taylor, Second; Place Mats, Janet Walter, First; Selina Deaton, Second; Card Table or Bridge Cloth, Mary Ann Lopp, First; Table Cloth, Pat Durbin, First; Mary Ann Lopp, Second; Pillow Case Tube Painting, Selina Deaton, First; Cathy Alstott, Second; Antique Bedspread, Elva Harmon, First; Antique Quilt, Elva Harmon, First; Appliqued Quilt, Vesta Stephens, First; Mrs. Robert Trumpar, Second; Pieced Quilt, Alma Curts, First; Elva Harmon, Second; Knitted Afghan, Mary Ann Stowers, First; Cathy Alstott, Second; Crocheted Afghan, Janice Richmer, First; Kathi Watson, Second; Woven Afghan, Janice Sauerheber, First; Baby Quilts, Ambrosia Hughe, First; Knitted or Crocheted Baby Blanket, Janet Walther, First; Woven Rug, Mardell Rhodes, First; Lola Rothrock, Second; Miscellaneous Rugs, Thomas D. Thompson, First; Ruth Behr, Second; Crocheted Lace, Gay Lang, First; Terri Lopp, Second; Tatted Lace, Cathy Alstott, First; Terri Lopp, Second; Hairpin Lace, Janet Walther, First; Needlepoint, Diane Byler, First; Cross Stitch, Mary Ann Huber, First; Elva Harmon, Second; Hand Embroidery, Barbara Goldsmith, First; Patty Zimmerman, Second; Crewel Embroidery, Vesta Stephens, First; Cathy Alstott, Second; Swedish Huck Darning, Mary Jane Taylor, First; Selina Deaton, Second; Smocking, Elva Harmon, First; Practical Handmade Toys, Susie Davis, First; Practical Handmade Stuffed Animals, Suzanne Hoke, First; Patt Wuest, Second; Practical Handmade Doll, Jo Bowen, First; Paint By Number, Lisa Crecelius, First; Rick Crecelius, Second; Oil Painting, Leona Hickman, First; Water Color, Connie March, First; Tube Painting, Paula Baumgart, First; Lona Deaton, Second; handmade Artificial Flower Arrangement, Kathi Watson, First; Mrs. Robert Trumper, Second; Decoupage, Lisa Crecelius, First; Rick Crecelius, Second; Ceramics, Mary Jane Taylor, First; Patt Wuest, Second Macrame, Vivian Kost, First; Susan Holman, Second;

Amateur Photography, Mike Kost, First; Melvin Rothrock, Second; Miscellaneous Plaques, Pat Harmon, First; Kristina Brown, Second; Miscellaneous Crafts, Mae Miller, First; Desi Sauerheber, Second; Center Pieces, Kristina Brown, First; Terri Lopp, Second; Christmas Stocking, Mary Jane Taylor, First; Cloth Purse, Mary Ann Huber, first; Jewelry, Lisa Crecelius, First; Patt Wuest, Second; Street Dress, Mae Miller, First; Elva Harmon, Second; Sportswear, Karen Wathen, First; Barbara Lander, Second; Two-Piece Jacket or Coat with Dress, Mary Bryant, First Woman's Suit, Lona Deaton, First; Barbara Lander, Second, Coat, Janet Walther, First; Carolyn Walther, Second; Dressy Dresses, Jo Bowen, First; Lona Deaton, Second; Loungewear, Mrs. Robert Trumper, First; Vivian Kost, Second; House Slippers, Mardell Rhodes, First; Infant Dress, Elva Harmon, First; Toddler Play outfit, Pat Harmon, First;

Girl's Party Dress, Jo Bowen, First; Girls' School Outfit, Tillie Gregory, First; Boy's Sport Jacket, Delores Leffler, First; Teens' School Outfit, Paula Baumgart, First; Tammy Harbeson, Second; Date or Afternoon Dress, Terri Wagner, First; Vivian Kost, Second; Formal, Vivian Kost, First; Suit, Vivian Kost, First; Denise Miller, Second; Man's Tie, Janet Walther, First; Man's Slacks, Lona Deaton, First; Mary Bryant, Second; Sports Coat, Lona Deaton, First; Mrs. Kenneth Kost, Second; Man's Suit, Barbara Lander, First; Karen Wathen, Second; Woman's Sweater, Angie Richmer, First; Mrs. Kenneth Kost, Second; Man's Sweater, Mrs. Kenneth Kost, First; Gisela Baker, Second; Woman's or Man's Vest, Gisela Baker, First; Terri Lopp, Second;

Child's Sweater, Janice Sauerheber, First Child's Vest, Vivian Kost, First; Jo Bowen, Second; Stole or Wrap, Tellie Gregory, First; Cathy Alstott, Second; Poncho, Mary Ann Stowers, First; Jo Bowen, Second; Cape, Mrs. Robert Trumper, First; Mrs. Kenneth Kost, Second; Knitted or Crocheted Miscellaneous Apparel, Ardella Dodge, First; Gisela Baker, Second; Angel Food Cake, Elva Harmon, First; Mary Waters, Second; Pound Cake, Phyllis Waters, First; Mary Ann Huber, Second; Oatmeal Cake, Elva Harmon, First; Bundt Cake, Phyllis Waters, First; Elva Harmon, Second Fruit Cake, Elva Harmon, First; Yours Specialty Layer Cake, Patt Wuest, First; Elva Harmon, Second; Yours Specialty Chocolate Cake, Elva Harmon, First; German Chocolate Cake, Elva Harmon, First; Yellow Cake, Elva Harmon, First; White Cake, Elva Harmon, First; Mary Waters,Second; Decorated Cakes, Judith Foreman, First; Jim Mathes, Second; Yours Specialty, Coffee Cake, Pat Harmon, First; Mary Ann Huber, Second;

Fruit-Nut Bread, Elva Harmon, First; Loaf of Yeast Bread, Elva Harmon, First; Mary Ann Huber, Second; Plain Yeast Rolls, Markey Reed, First; Loretta Byrne, Second, Fancy Yeast Bread or Rolls, Lona Deaton, First; Elva Harmon, Second; Brownies, Elva Harmon, First, Chocolate Chip Cookies, Pat Harmon, First; Elva Harmon, Second; Bar Cookies, Denise Miller; First, Elva Harmon, Second; Sugar Cookies, Elva Harmon, First; Oatmeal Cookies, Ambrosia Hughes, First; Elva Harmon, Second; Spice Cookies, Elva Harmon, First; Peanut Butter Cookies, Mary Ann Huber, First; Elva Harmon, Second ; Press Cookies, Elva Harmon, First; Refrigerator Cookies, Elva Harmon, First; No-Bake Cookies, Ambrosia Hughes, First; Edith Miller, Second;

Decorated Cookies, Elva Harmon, First; Diane Byler, Second; Your Speciality Cookie, Mardell Rhodes, First; Pat Harmon, Second; Cooked Candy, Mary Waters, First, Phyllis Waters, Second; No-Cook Candy, Elva Harmon, First; Phyllis Waters, Second; Canned Peaches, Kristina Brown, First; Nellie Wagner, Second; Beats, Elva Harmon, First; Barbara Lander, Second; Green Beans, Mary Ann Huber, First; Darlene Wagner, Second; Tomatoes, Kristina Brown, first; Nellie Wagner, Second; Beats, Elva Harmon, First; Barbara Lander, Second; Green Beans, Mary Ann Huber, First; Darlene Wagner, Second; Tomatoes, Kristina Brown, First; Nellie Wagner, Second; Jam, Lola Rothrock, First; Elva Harmon, Second; Jelly, Darlene Wagner, First; Marty Ann Huber, Second; Marmalade, Melvin Rothrock, First; Elva Harmon, Second; Preserves, Lola Rothrock, First; Elva Harmon, Second; Whole Cucumber Dills, Kathi Watson, First; Jo Bowen, Second; Cross-Cut Cucumber, Elva Harmon, First; Pat Merk, Second; Sweet Gherkins, Elva Harmon, First;

Pickle Relish, Darlene Wagner, First; Kristina Brown, Second; Pickle Beats, Elva Harmon, First; Sweet Pickles, Mary Ann Huber, First; Mary Bryant, Second; Yours Specialty Pickle, Barbara Lander, First; Elva Harmon, Second; Your Specialty Relish, Barbara Lander, First; Mary Bryant, Second; Bouquet of Roses-All One Color, Melvin Rothrock, First; Rose Specimen, Doris McCormick, First; Melvin Rothrock, Second; Begonia, Doris McCormick, First; Geranium Specimen, Mary Bryant, First; Melvin Rothrock, Second; Bouquet of Dahlias-All one Color, Mixed Colors and Dahlia Specimen, Melvin Rothrock, First; Bouquet of Gladiola-One Color, Melvin Rothrock, First; Bouquet of Gladiola-Mixed Colors, Melvin Rothrock, First; Irma Love, Second; Gladiola Specimen, Denise Miller, First; Melvin Rothrock, Second;

Bouquet of Marigolds, Mary Ann Huber, First; Melvin Rothrock, Second; Marigold Specimen, Melvin Rothrock, First; Elva Harmon, Second; Bouquet of Zinnias-One Color, Melvin Rothrock, First; Bouquet of Zinnias-Mixed Color, Leona Hickman, First; Melvin Rothrock, Second; Zinnia Specimen, Bonnie Crecelius, First; Rick Crecelius, Second; Aster Specimen, Melvin Rothrock, First; Lola Rothrock, Second; Garden Flowers, Melvin Rothrock, First; African Violet, Doris McCormick, First; Kellie McCormick, Second; Petunias, Melvin Rothrock, First; Cactus, Doris McCormick, First; Mary Bryant, Second, Planter Arrangement, Doris McCormick, First; Floral Arrangement, Mrs. Pete Schickel, First; Wild Flower arrangement, Kristina Brown, First; Garth Sonner, Second; Dried Flower Arrangement, Angie Richmer, First; Pat Harmon, Second.

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2 Senior Events Slated For Fair

Two events have been scheduled for senior citizens on the opening day, July 21, of the 1975 Scott County Fair, it was announced this week.

Those county residents over age 60 who enter the Senior Citizens Cookie Contest are reminded that six cookies using a type of cereal in the ingredients must be brought to the fairgrounds 4-H Building Monday, July 21, between 8:00 a.m. and 12 noon, advised a county extension office spokesman.

Two copies of the recipe must accompany the cookies and entries should be covered with plastic wrap and placed on a paper plate.

Judging by Joyce Dickson of Henryville will take place in the early afternoon, the spokesman related, with each exhibitor to receive award ribbons in appropriate categories.

First place winners of the Monday event will demonstrate at the Indiana State Fair on August 15 and be provided with free transportation to Indianapolis as well as free State Fair entrance tickets and basic demonstration materials.

First place recipes will also be published in **The Scott County Journal**, and State Fair winners will receive cash prizes have their recipes included in the 1975 Senior Citizens Cookie Book, the spokesman stated.

The event is being co-sponsored by the Scott County Extension Office and the Title VII Nutrition Program.

Also to be held Monday, July 21, is the crowning of the 1975 Scott County Senior Fair Queen.

Scottsburg Jaycee Jerry Anderkin, chairman of the event, related that the judging and crowning of the Senior Fair Queen will take place at 4:00 p.m. that afternoon at the Fairgrounds grandstand.

Contestants must be 60 years of age or over and residents of Scott County.

Entrants will not be judged on talent, Anderkin said, but rather "pep, poise, personality, and pride in their personal achievements."

The selected Queen will receive a crown, trophy, and bouquet of roses.

Chairman Anderkin stated that she will go on to compete in the Area Queen contest August 2 and, should she win the area contest, go on to the State Queen contest, scheduled for August 14 in Indianapolis.

Entries are still being accepted for the Senior Fair Queen competition at the Scott County Senior House, located at 183 South Second Street in Scottsburg.

Sponsors for this contest are the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged and the Scottsburg Jaycees.

COOKIE BAKE OFF
DAILY
EXCEPT SUNDAY

Marguarite Williams displays her Old Fashion Oatmeal Cookies which won her the Championship Award at the Senior Citizens Cookie Contest at the Scott County Fair.

Other first place winners were Mary Lykins, Edna Stace and Mary Catherine Long.

Margarite Williams won the "Championship Award" at the Scott County Senior Citizens cookie contest held at the Scott County 4-H Fair. The contest was co-sponsored by the Scott County Extension Office and the Title VII Nutrition Program of the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc., in cooperation with the Scott County 4-H Corporation.

The winners will now compete at the Indiana State Fair in Indianapolis, Aug. 15.

Following are the award-winning recipes:

OLD FASHIONED
OATMEAL COOKIES
Marguarite Williams

1 cup raisins
1 cup water
3/4 cup shortening
1 1/2 cups sugar
2 eggs
1 tsp. vanilla
2 1/2 cups flour
1 tsp. soda
1 tsp. salt
1 tsp. cinnamon
1/2 tsp. baking powder
1/2 tsp cloves
2 cups oats
1/2 cup chopped nuts

Simmer raisins and water over medium heat until raisins are plump (about 15 min.). Drain raisins, reserving liquid.

Add enough water to reserved liquid to measure 1/2 cup.

Heat oven to 400 degrees. mix thoroughly, shortening, sugar, eggs and vanilla. Stir in reserved liquid. Blend in remaining ingredients. Drop dough by rounded teaspoonfuls, about 2 inches apart onto ungreased baking sheet. Bake 8-10 minutes or until light brown. (6 1/2 doz.).

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CHEWY ALL BRAN COOKIES
Mary Lykins

1 cup sifted flour
3/4 tsp. soda
1/2 tsp salt
1 tsp. cinnamon
1/4 tsp. nutmeg
3/4 cup shortening
1 1/3 cups brown sugar (or half brown - half white)
2 eggs
1 tsp. vanilla
2 cups All Bran
1 cup raisins

Sift together flour, soda, salt and spices. Add shortening, sugar, eggs and vanilla. Stir until smooth - about 2 minutes. Stir in All Bran and raisins. Drop by tsp. on greased cookie sheet. Bake in pre-heated oven at 350 degrees for 12-15 minutes.

CHEWY OATMEAL COOKIES
Edna Stace

1 cup sifted flour
3/4 tsp. soda
1 tsp. cinnamon
1/4 tsp. nutmeg
3/4 cup shortening
1 1/3 cups packed brown sugar
2 eggs
1 tsp. vanilla
2 cups oats
1 cup raisins

Sift flour, soda, salt, cinnamon and nutmeg into bowl. Add shortening, sugar, eggs and vanilla. Beat until smooth (2 min.). Stir in oats and raisins. Drop by heaping teaspoons full onto greased cookie sheet. Bake in 350 degree oven 12-15 minutes. Makes 3 1/2 dozen.

SPECIAL K COOKIES
Mary Katherine Long

3 cups Special K cereal
1 cup flour
1 tsp. baking powder
1/4 tsp. salt
1/2 cup soft margarine
2/3 cup sugar
1 egg
1 tsp. vanilla

Crush cereal to 2 cups. Take 1 cup and mix with all dry ingredients. Set other cup of cereal aside for the moment. Place margarine and sugar in large mixing bowl. Beat until light and fluffy. Add egg and vanilla and beat well. Stir in dry ingredients until thoroughly combined. Roll level tablespoon dough in remaining crushed cereal. Place in ungreased cookie sheets. Bake in 300 degree oven about five minutes or until brown. Cool on wire rack.

AWARD WINNERS — Oma Kauer, center, displays her "Date and Cereal Balls," for which she won the Championship Award, during the senior citizens cookie contest at the recent 4-H Fair. Other first place winners were Esther Newkirk, left, and Viola Engleman, far right. Winning a first place award but not pictured, is Anna Mae Finnegan.

Senior Citizens Win Cookie Contest

Oma Kauer won the "Championship Award" during the Floyd County Senior Citizens cookie contest held at the recent 4-H Fair, co-sponsored by the Floyd County Extension Homemakers and the Title VII Nutrition Program of the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Ind. in cooperation with the Floyd County 4-H Corporation.

Four first place awards were also presented during the contest. Winners were Esther Newkirk, Viola Engleman, and Anna Mae Finnegan.

Winners will now compete at the Indiana State Fair in Indianapolis, August 15.

Following are the award winning recipes which the winners were kind enough to share.

OMA KAUER

Date and Cereal Balls

2 cup chopped dates
1½ cup sugar
2 eggs beaten
1 tsp. vanilla
2 cup Rice Krispies
coconut

Slowly cook dates, sugar, eggs and vanilla in skillet for 10 minutes. Stir in Rice Krispies, drop on buttered waxed paper. Butter hands, roll into balls and coconut.

ESTHER NEWKIRK

100 Percent Natural Cereal Cookies

1 cup flour
1¼ tsp. baking powder
½ tsp. soda
½ tsp. salt
½ cup shortening (butter)
1 cup brown sugar, packed
1 well beaten egg
¾ tsp. vanilla
1 cup 100 percent natural cereal, containing whole wheat, rolled oats, brown sugar, raisins, coconut, dates, almonds.

Sift flour, baking powder soda and salt together. Beat shortening and sugar until creamy, add well beaten egg. To this mixture add the sifted dry ingredients, blend well and add the cereal. Chill and shape dough into 1-inch balls. Place 2 inches apart on ungreased cookie sheet. Bake 10 to 15 minutes at 350 degrees F (Mod. oven).

VIOLA ENGLEMAN

Oatmeal Crunchy Cookies

1 cup shortening
1 cup brown sugar
1 cup white sugar
2 eggs
2 cups sifted flour
1 tsp. vanilla
½ tsp. soda
1 tsp. baking powder
3 cups (quik) oatmeal
1 cup coconut
½ cup nuts

Cream shortening, sugar and eggs, add sifted dry ingredients, then add coconut and oats, blend well. Add nuts and vanilla. Drop by tsp. on greased cookie sheet. Flatten with bottom of glass dipped in granulated sugar. Bake 375 degrees for 8 minutes. Makes 8 dozen.

ANNA M. FINNIGAN
Cereal Bars

1 cup sugar
1 cup dark corn syrup
10 oz jar peanut butter
6 oz. butterscotch pieces
6 cups ready to eat High Protein cereal
6 oz. semi-sweet chocolate pieces

Bring sugar and syrup to rolling boil, remove from heat. Stir in peanut butter until creamy, mix in cereal, press into greased 13x9x2 inch pan, melt pieces together in double boiler, spread over cereal mixture, cut while warm. Makes 2 dozen.

Cookie Champ Named

Mrs. Marguerite Williams won the Championship Award during the Scott County Senior citizens cookie contest held at the Scott County 4-H Fair, co-sponsored by the Scott County Extension Office and the Title VII Nutrition program of the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc. in cooperation with the Scott County 4-H Corporation. She will compete at the Indiana State Fair in Indianapolis on August 15. Her winning recipe was for old fashion oatmeal cookies.

The first place winners were Mrs. Mary Lykins, whynot cherry allbrand cookies; Mrs. Edna Stace, chewy oatmeal cookies and Mrs. Mary Katherine Long, Special K cookies. The second place winners were Mae E. Graves, peanut butter cookies and Olive Wolff, 100 percent Quaker Oats cookies.

The following are the first place cookie and championship cookie recipes:

OLD FASHIONED OATMEAL COOKIES
Marguerite Williams

1 C. raisins
1 C. water
¾ C. shortening
1½ C. sugar
2 eggs
1 tsp. vanilla
2½ C. flour
1 tsp. soda
1 tsp. salt
1 tsp. cinnamon
½ tsp. baking powder
½ tsp. cloves
2 C. oats
½ C. chopped nuts

Simmer raisins and water over medium heat until raisins are plump, about 15 minutes. Drain raisins, reserving liquid. Add enough water to reserved liquid to measure ½ cup.

Heat oven to 400 degrees. Mix thoroughly shortening, sugar, eggs and vanilla. Stir in reserved liquid. Blend in remaining ingredients. Drop dough by rounded teaspoonfuls about 2 inches apart onto ungreased baking sheet. Bake 8-10 minutes or until light brown. Makes 6½ doz.

Y-NOT CHEWY ALL BRAN COOKIES
Mary Lykins

1 C. sifted flour
¾ tsp. soda
½ tsp. salt
1 tsp. cinnamon
¼ tsp. nutmeg
¾ C. shortening
1 1/3 C. brown sugar
(or ½ brown & ½ white sugar)
2 eggs
1 tsp. vanilla
2 C. all bran
1 C. raisins

Sift together flour, soda, salt and spices. Add shortening, sugar, eggs and vanilla. Stir until smooth-about two minutes. Stir in all bran and raisins and drop by teaspoon on greased cookie sheet. Bake in pre-heated oven at 350 degrees for 12-15 minutes.

CHERRY OATMEAL COOKIES
Edna Stace

1 C. sifted flour
¾ tsp. soda
1 tsp. cinnamon
¼ tsp. nutmeg
¾ C. shortening
1 1/3 C. packed brown sugar
2 eggs
1 tsp. vanilla
2 C. oats
1 C. raisins

Sift flour, soda, salt, cinnamon and nutmeg into bowl. Add shortening, sugar, eggs and vanilla. Beat until smooth (2 minutes). Stir in oats and raisins. Drop by heaping teaspoons full onto greased cookie sheet. Bake in 350 degree oven 12-15 minutes. Makes 3½ dozen.

SPECIAL-K COOKIES
Mary Katherine Long

3C. Special-K cereal
1 C. flour
1 tsp. baking powder
¼ tsp. salt
½ C. soft margarine
Two-thirds C. sugar
1 egg
1 tsp. vanilla

Crush cereal to 2 cups. Take 1 cup and stir with all dry ingredients and set aside.

Place margarine and sugar in large mixing bowl. Beat until light and fluffy. Add egg and vanilla and beat well. Stir in dry ingredients until thoroughly combined. Roll level tablespoon dough in remaining crushed cereal. Place in ungreased cookie sheets. Bake in 300 degree oven about 5 minutes or until brown. Cool on wire rack.

Award winners in the Senior Citizens cookie contest pose with their ribbons and plate of cookies. They are Edna Stace, Marguerite Williams, Mary Lykins, Katherine Long and Mae E. Graves. Olive Wolff was not present at the time the photo was taken.
(Staff photo)

Mrs. Mary Kallembach McKinney

Mrs. McKinney Crowned Queen

A seventy-four-year-old newlywed was selected as Scott County's second Senior Fair Queen Monday afternoon before an enthusiastic crowd.

Mrs. Mary E. Kallembach McKinney, of 11 North Park Drive in Scottsburg, was crowned the 1975 queen by Scottsburg Mayor Blake L. Burns who also presented the senior celebrity a bouquet of red roses, her crown, trophy, and a kiss on the cheek.

Mrs. McKinney is the wife of William D. McKinney and the mother of three sons, Elvin, Raymond, and Ivan Kallembach, all of Scottsburg. She also boasts five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

The new queen stated in an interview following her crowning that she was urged to enter the 1975 competition by her beautician.

"I really didn't want to enter but I asked my husband and he said, "Sure, why not!' so I signed up," she remarked.

The Senior Fair Queen is a member of the United Methodist Church in Scottsburg and present treasurer of the Pearl McClain Circle at the church.

She is also past treasurer of the Women's Society there as well as the Y.L.A. and has held presidencies in her Sunday School class and the American Legion Auxiliary.

Her hobbies include reading, cooking, growing flowers, and bowling.

Mrs. McKinney will now go on to the August 2 area Senior Queen contest at New Albany to compete against three other senior queens from Clark, Floyd, and Harrison counties, reported Scottsburg Jaycee Jerry Ankerkin, chairman of the event.

Should she win the area contest, she will go on to the Indiana State Senior Fair Queen Contest, scheduled for August 14 in Indianapolis, he said.

Mrs. McKinney's robe, crown, trophy, and bouquet were given to her by the co-sponsoring Scottsburg club and the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc.

Also receiving trophies at Monday afternoon's ceremony were first and second runners-up Mrs. Marguerite Williams and Mrs. Myrtle Bridge.

Mrs. Williams was selected first runner-up by judges Elmer Blevins, Reverend Joe Hodge, and Mrs. Marty Randall.

She lives at 143 East Walnut Street in Scottsburg with her husband, Thomas, and has three children, seventeen grandchildren, and twenty-four great-grandchildren.

Second runner-up Myrtle Bridge of Deputy is also a grandmother, having a daughter and a granddaughter.

She stated in her autobiography that she "enjoys eating out" with her husband, Laurence, and keeps active in the various charity drives conducted throughout the county.

On hand for Monday's crowning were Thelma Bertrand, executive director for the South Central Council; Mrs. Mary Lukemeier, director of the Title VII Nutrition Program; Miss Jackie Cox, director of the Retired Senior Volunteer Program; Council secretary Wanda Whitaker; and Scott County Senior House co-site director Marge Julian.

Senior Fair Queen contestants pose with Scott County's 1975 Senior Queen Mary Kallembach McKinney in the above photo taken after the crowning ceremony Monday afternoon.

In the back row (left to right) are Mrs. Edna Stace, 1974 Senior Queen, Mrs. M. Katherine Long, Mrs. Chris Lindblad, and Mrs. Mary Lykins.

In front is first runner-up Marguerite Williams, Senior Fair Queen Mary McKinney, second runner-up Myrtle Bridge, and Mrs. Ida Downs.

The contest was co-sponsored by the Scottsburg Jaycees and the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc.

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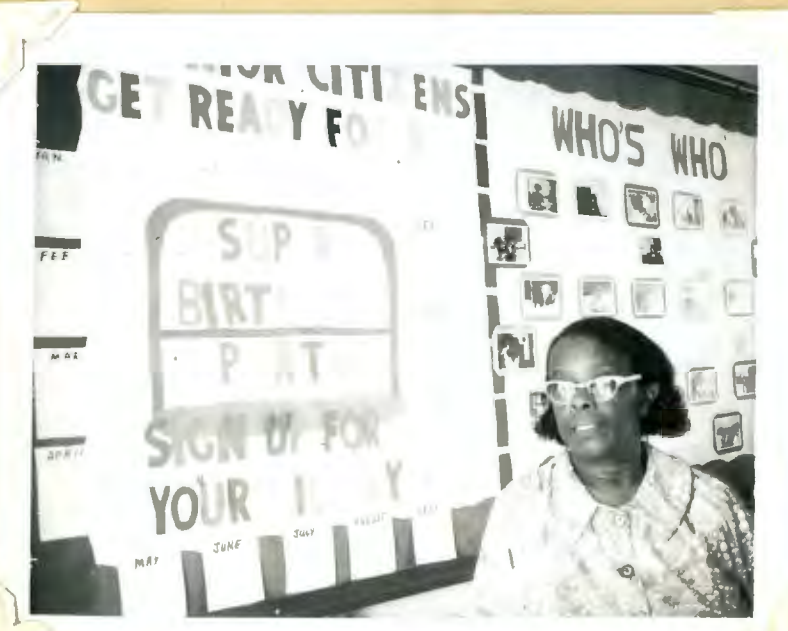

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Program gives elderly nutrition and friends

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per meal of $1.15 at the Clark, Floyd and Harrison sites, where the meals are provided by the Tommy Lancaster catering service in New Albany.

The difference between the amount paid by recipients of the meals and the actual price is offset by federal funding, which also covers administrative costs.

Indiana is to get $2,259,935 this fiscal year in Title VII money.

The South Central Council is funded $139,152 to maintain three meal sites in Jeffersonville at Clark Arms, Gilt Edge Baptist Church and Wall Street United Methodist Church; two sites in New Albany at Beechwood Center and Parkview Towers; a site at the Charlestown Community Building; a site at the Corydon Christian Church, and one at Red's Smorgasbord in Scottsburg.

Mrs. Lukemeier said that space for the meals is donated. She added that an equivalent of more than $5,000 in services is donated monthly by volunteers who assist in such capacities as serving, cleaning up and transportation.

About 100 meals are delivered daily to persons confined to their homes from the South Central Council.

The daily menu at the meal sites includes a meat portion, two vegetables, bread and butter, a dessert and a half pint of milk. Chicken, which is served once a week, is the favorite meat of most.

The elderly persons discussing the program last week praised it highly. The food received equally high marks.

Nevertheless, many older persons who could benefit from the program and are in need of better nutrition do not participate.

According to Ora Lea Wann, state Title VII project coordinator, there are nearly 5,500 persons aged 60 and over living below the poverty index in the four-county area. The breakdown by county: Floyd, 1,970; Clark, 1,776; Harrison, 1,053, and Scott, 673.

Mrs. Wann said the projected need is further defined through other 1970 Census information. There are approximately 950 elderly men living alone, who probably have had little cooking experience. Also there are more than 8,000 elderly persons in the four counties without driver's licenses.

The additional older persons who would benefit from Title VII have either rejected it for personal reasons, are unaware of it or live in areas inaccessible to the meal sites, which are concentrated in urban areas.

"If we had the funds to expand, we would reach out into the counties," Mrs. Lukemeier said.

Both at the area and state levels the program is in a "bind" expansion wise, due to the limited availability of federal funds, she said.

Mrs. Lukemeier said she would like to do more outreach work next to encourage more persons to come to the meal sites, but adds:

"We are in a bind. I feel like we want to do more outreach work next year to enfunds and have to turn people away that would create a negative image."

Unlike poverty programs, the Title VII meals are open to anyone aged 60 and over. Mrs. Lukemeier believes this fact has provided a boost to the program, turning out persons who would not participate if it were connected with welfare or the poverty programs.

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The new Area 14 Senior Queen, Mrs. Mary Kallembach McKinney, poses with dignitaries on hand for Saturday's queen competition in Jeffersonville.

From left to right are Council on Aging Executive Director Thelma Bertrand, the Queen's husband, Willeam McKinney, the new Queen, and L. L. Lowry representing the Scottsburg Jaycees.

Saturday's contest was co-sponsored by four Southern Indiana clubs, including the local Jaycees, and the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc.

(Staff photo)

Photo by Schley Cox

LUNCH AT the Beechwood Community Center in New Albany, Ind., is enjoyed by many, including Mrs. Edna Lafollette, in the foreground. The food is served to those over 60 under the Title VII Nutrition Program for the Elderly, which was begun in Indiana on Oct. 8, 1973.

Saturday, August 9, 1975

'Screening' Clinic Attracts 65 People

The second in a series of free blood pressure clinics for senior citizens attracted about 65 persons Tuesday afternoon, advised Scott County Senior House co-site director Marge Julian this week.

"We were almost overwhelmed with the crowd. It was so tremendous," Mrs. Julian commented.

The free clinics are being sponsored by the American Heart Association, Scott County Heart Association, and the South Central Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc., she said.

A clinic where citizens over 60 years of age may get their blood pressure checked, will be scheduled for the first Tuesday of every month at the Senior House, located at 183 South Second Street in Scottsburg, related Mrs. Julian.

On hand for the August clinic was Mary Lukemeier, director of the Title VII Nutrition Program, Ross Ambulance technicians Steve Acton and Parry Culver, and nurse Wilda Meeks.

Personnel to man the blood pressure "screening" tables are arranged through Mrs. Don Wilkerson of Scottsburg, and Ross Medi-Van Services, Inc.

The next clinic has been set for September 2 from 12:30 pm. to 3:00 p.m. at the Scottsburg center, Mrs. Julian noted.

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Scott County Senior House Participants Plan On Week Of Bowling, Crafts, Bingo

Aside from the free blood pressure clinic set for Tuesday, August 5, not too many formal activities have been scheduled at the Scott County Senior House for the coming week, noted Mrs. Hazel Feaster, acting co-site director for the center.

Senior House participants will welcome the new Catholic priest, Father Gerald Renn of the Church of the American Martys in Scottsburg for devotions on Friday, Mrs. Feaster said, and regular activities of bowling, crafts, bingo, and card-playing will be held next week also.

Scheduled for the Title VII Nutrition Program menu during the week of August 4 through 8 is for MONDAY: Chopped sirloin, beets, tossed salad, rye bread, and cake; TUESDAY: Franks, mashed potatoes, sauer kraut, corn bread, chocolate pudding, and cheese crackers; WEDNESDAY: Baked ham with raisin sauce, sweet potatoes, green beans, white bread, and pineapple chunks; THURSDAY: Beef barbecue sandwich, baked potato with sour cream, spinach, and coconut cream pie; and FRIDAY: Fried chicken, potato salad, chopped broccoli, corn bread, and apricots.

Total attendance for the Title VII program during the week of July 21 through 25 was 164, advised Mrs. Feaster.

Reservations for the meals, served daily every week day at the Senior House, may be made by calling 752-4134 one day in advance, stated the acting co-site director.

A hat style show, sponsored by the Title VII Nutrition Program, was held at the Gilt Edge Baptist Church hospitality site, Jeffersonville. Attending the show, pictured from left, first row, were Mary Lukemeier, nutrition program director, Lucille Caldwell, Katherine Takecare, Mae Speights, Pauline Colvin, guest who demonstrated flower arranging, Thelma Bertrand, executive director of the Council for the Aged and Aging, Arlene Winfrey, coordinator of the state nutrition program and Kathleen Goldson; second row, Caroline Wells, Overia Dugan, Helen Summers, Ann Schultz, Thelma Howard, Susan Johnson, Ola Thornton, Ella Reason, Sally Wilhite, Rozeta Stallworth, Pat Minor and Bertha Casey; third row, Herbert Mills, Leroy K. Carter, Bob Maze, Rev. William Baker, Mary Baker and Katie Lawson.

Bowling Added To Activities

Scott County senior citizens now have a choice of activities on Wednesday afternoons, advised Mrs. Dorothy Linzay, site director for the Senior House.

Mrs. Linzay stated that senior citizens may now participate in a bowling program held at the Scottsburg Bowling Lanes or the weekly bingo contest at the house.

Participants are provided with free transportation to and from the bowling alley and are granted reduced rates. The program began last week, the site director said.

Also on next week's schedule is the weekly crafts session on Thursday afternoon and Reverend David Simpson from the Austin Church of God will conduct the devotions program on Friday.

According to Mrs. Linzay's attendance records, 108 senior citizens participated in the Title VII Nutrition program at the center during the week of December 31 through January 3.

Included in next week's menu plan are the following meals: MONDAY: Black eyed peas with ham, buttered carrots, tossed salad, rye bread, and ice cream; TUESDAY: Roast sirloin of beef with brown sauce, cauliflower with cheese sauce, lima beans, white bread, and pineapple chunks; WEDNESDAY: Fried chicken, baked potato with sour cream, spinach, rye bread, and fruit jello; THURSDAY: Sauteed liver with gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, white bread, and cake; and FRIDAY: Surf-o-patty, cole slaw, peas, corn bread, and lemon pie.

The Scott County Senior House is located at 183 South Second Street in Scottsburg. All senior citizens over the age of 60 are invited to attend both the Title VII Nutrition program and activities held at the house weekly.

The center is open from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Cookie Contest winners announced

The Senior Citizens Cookie Contest held recently was co-sponsored by the Harrison County Extension Homemakers Association and the Title VII Nutrition Program of the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc. in cooperation with the Harrison County Fair Corporation.

First place winners were Amzel Adams for her Date Nut Cookies, Pearl Mauck for her Cocoa Krisp Cookies, Charlotte Shireman for her Rice Krispie Cookies and Mardell Rhodes for her Cherry Winks.

These winners will compete at the State Fair in Indianapolis August 15. State Fair winners recipes will be published in the State Senior Citizens Cookie Book.

These recipes are sure to delight your taste buds:

Date Nut Cookies, Amzel Adams

1 cup sugar
1 cup chopped dates
2 cups Rice Krispies
1 cup chopped nuts
Shredded coconut
1 stick butter
1 egg beaten

Combine sugar, butter, dates and egg. Cook over medium heat until thick, add rice krispies and nuts. Shape into small balls and then flaten and roll in coconut.

Cocoa Krisp Cookies
Pearl Mauck

1 stick margarine
1 6 oz. pkg. of dates
1 cup brown sugar
1 cup chopped pecans
½ cup coconut
2 cups cocoa Rice Krispies
Powdered sugar

Cook margarine, dates, sugar over low heat until dates are melted (about 10 minutes), remove from heat and add nuts, coconut, cocoa Rice Krispies, stir well and shape into small balls and flaten. Roll in powdered sugar. Makes about 20 cookies.

Rice Krispie Cookies
Charlotte Shireman

1 stick margarine
6 oz. pkg. dates
1 cup brown sugar
1 cup pecans
½ cup coconut
2 cups Rice Krispies

Cook margarine, brown sugar and dates over low heat for about 8 minutes or until dates are melted. Remove from heat. Add nuts, coconut and Rice Krispies. Mix well and form into balls about size of hulled walnut. Can either leave in ball or press out with fork. You may also roll in powdered sugar or leave plain.

Cherry Winks, Mardell Rhodes

Sift together: 2¼ cup sifted flour, 1 tsp. dbl. acting baking powder, ½ tsp. soda, ½ tsp. salt

Combine: ¾ c. shortening, 1 cup sugar and cream well

Blend in: 2 eggs. Add 2 tbsp. milk and 1 tsp. vanilla.

Blend in: sifted dry ingredients, mix well. Add 1 cup chopped pecans, 1 cup chopped dates, one third cup chopped maraschino cherries.

Mix well and shape into balls, roll each cookie in pre-crushed corn flakes. Place on greased baking sheet and top each cookie with piece of maraschino cherry. Bake in moderate oven 375 degrees from 10 to 12 minutes. Makes about five dozen cookies. +

WINNERS IN THE COOKIE CONTEST were Mardell Rhodes, Charlotte Shireman, Pearl Mauck, and Amzel Adams. +

Mrs. Edna Karg, a Meals on Wheels volunteer, watches Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blaze enjoy the lunch she has brought them. —Globe-Democrat photo

Meals on Wheels helping shut-in adults

Ned was pushing 70. He had $4 to his name, nothing to eat and no family to care for him. When a Meals on Wheels volunteer found him, he was crouched in the corner of his sparsely furnished apartment.

Today Ned eats one square meal a day. His shriveled frame is filling out and when the Meals on Wheels volunteer delivers his hot lunch, he's sitting up in his chair, waiting for her.

Ned is just one of hundreds of people whose lives have been dramatically changed by Meals on Wheels.

The volunteer-run service is sponsored locally by Church Women United and other temple and church groups. Its purpose is to deliver hot meals to the homes of handicapped and shut-in adults.

Monday through Friday volunteers working in church, hospital and nursing home kitchens package meat, sandwiches, salads, vegetables, juice and milk in insulated trays.

Then other volunteer crews deliver the meals throughout the city. Price per meal varies from no charge to $1.75 (which includes a sack supper), depending upon the amount recipients can afford and the amount donated by individuals, churches and civic organizations.

Mrs. Thom Hunter, coordinator for Meals on Wheels of Church Women United, reports that "all of our programs need names of qualified recipients, volunteers who will give one hour each week and contributions to subsidize the program."

Information is available by telephoning Mrs. Hunter at 968-0750, or writing her at 20 Glenhaven dr., Glendale, Mo. 63122.

Areas currently served by Meals on Wheels programs include Lemay, Kirkwood, Des Peres, Carondelet, Bellevue, Webster Groves, Southwest St. Louis, Overland, portions of South St. Louis, Kinlock, University City (kosher meals) and Bridgeton.

Luncheons for senior citizens are served aidly at these locations in Clark County:

- Gilt Edge Baptist Church, 1713 Green St., Jeffersonville. 11:45 a.m.
- Wall Street United Methodist Church, 240 Wall St., Jeffersonville. Noon.
- Clark Arms Senior Citizens Center, 117 W. Market St., Jeffersonville. 11:30 a.m.
- Charlestown Friendship Center, 214 McCampbell St., Charlestown. 11:30 a.m.

There is a charge of 50 cents for each meal; the fee is waived or reduced for persons who cannot afford it. Reservations are necessary and should be made by calling the meal location before noon the day before attending.

Capt. Richard L. Perry has been graduated from a school at Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala. He has returned to Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, near Dayton, Ohio, where he is serving as an aerodynamic-systems analyst for the Air Force.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell S. Perry, of 117 Pawnee Drive, Jeffersonville. He is a 1964 graduate of Jeffersonville High School, and a graduate of the U.S. Air Force Academy.

Luncheons for senior citizens are served daily at the following locations in Floyd County:

- Parkview Towers, Fisher Drive off Erni Avenue, New Albany. 11:30 a.m.
- Beechwood Community Center, Kelly Drive, New Albany. Noon.
- Vance Court Community Building, Dennison Street, New Albany. 11:45 a.m.

There is a charge of 50 cents for each meal; the fee is waived or reduced for persons who cannot afford the charge. Reservations are necessary and should be made by calling the meal location before noon the day before attending.

The **Floyd Kiwanis Club** will meet at 6:15 p.m. tomorrow at the Lone Star Cafe, 1638 Slate Run Road, New Albany.

TOPS Ind. 257 will meet at 7:30 p.m.

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Pumpkin Contest Slated

Among the many highlights of the Annual New Albany Harvest Homecoming are the activities that center around the pumpkin. In addition to growing the largest, eating the most pie, and decorating the best pumpkin there is the pumpkin baking contest. This year there will be four pumpkin catagories: pie, bread, cake and cookies. Males or females, of any age and a resident of Southern Indiana, may enter the contest.

The contest will be held Saturday, October 12 in the building of McDonald's Sewing Center, 218 Pearl Street, New Albany. Please bring your baked item in a disposable container covered with plastic wrap, to McDonald's by 10:30 a.m. Also include a copy of receipe and your name, address and phone number.

Winning recipes will appear in the newspaper following the contest. Trophies will be presented on Sunday, October 13 at 3 p.m. on State at the American Bank Lot.

Fill out the above information on a card and mail to: Mary Lukemeier, 1721 Ekin Avenue, New Albany, Ind. Entries should be postmarked no later than Saturday, October 5.

State Queen Contest 'Fun' For Area Rep

Reflecting that "it was a lot of fun," Area 14 Senior Queen Mary McKinney of Scottsburg expressed no regrets in not bringing home a trophy from the Indiana Senior Queen Contest, held Friday afternoon in Indianapolis.

"We just really enjoyed it. Of course, my husband (William McKinney) was with me and he was my escort and that made it better, you know," she commented.

That Friday turned out to be a long day full of activity for the seventy-four-year-old great-grandmother.

Upon reaching the State Fairgrounds, the McKinneys and their escorts, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Burress, went straight to the Senior Building where the contest and a talent show was to be presented.

"I had to go back to the dressing room right away and get ready and Governor Bowen and his wife did come back and shake hands with us all. That was nice," the area queen said.

All sixteen contestants were then brought out one at a time to the stage area where they were asked to answer a question.

The question, as far as Mrs. McKinney could recall, was "something about how we could improve our senior years. I told them we could just keep busy helping others."

The area queen said voting was done on the contestants' pep and vitality and involvement in activities.

"Of course you couldn't vote on looks. If they did, I wouldn't have gotten as far as I did," Mrs. McKinney said, a statement that was quickly refuted by her husband who remarked, "Now, I'd have to disagree with you there, Mary."

Mrs. Lavonne Norman of Linden in Montgomery County was eventually named the 1975 State Senior Queen. First and second runners-up were respectively Mrs. Adelaide Sermonfader of Chesterton in Porter County and Mrs. Olive Ricketts of Vevay in Switzerland County.

Each of the sixteen contestants received certificates noting their participation in the state finals and a silver charm bracelet from Indiana Governor Otis R. Bowen, who was on hand to greet the contestants and crown the Senior Queen.

Mrs. McKinney expressed appreciation to all of her friends and relatives who supported her bid for the state crown, emphasizing the help given her by the Scottsburg Jaycees and president Donnie Burress.

"All of them have been real nice to us," she stated.

Those attending the State Senior Queen Contest included Ruthann McGuire, Jane Cravens, Pauline Grant, Lucille Neuhauser, Everitt Napier, Chris Lindbald, Mary Naylor, Marguerite Williams, Ann Herald, Mary Lykins, Lois and Ida Downs, Katherine Long, and Olive Wolff.

Mrs. Mary Kallembach McKinney of Scottsburg displays her certificate and charm bracelet presented to her as one of the sixteen finalists in the Indiana State Fair Queen Contest held August 15 in Indianapolis.

Mrs. McKinney expressed no regrets from not bringing home a trophy to add to her collection. "We just had fun," she remarked.

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Blood Pressure Clinic Set

The monthly free blood pressure clinic for senior citizens in Scott County has been scheduled for Tuesday, September 2, it was announced this week.

A spokesman for the Scott County Senior House, where the clinic will be held, noted that all citizens above the age of 60 are invited to come to the center and have their blood pressure "screened" by medical technicians and nurses, beginning at 12:30 p.m. that afternoon.

The program is co-sponsored by the Scott County Heart Association and the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged with medical personnel provided by the Scott County Memorial Hospital and Ross Medi-Van Services, Inc.

The Senior House is located at 183 South Second Street in Scottsburg.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1975

Commission On Aging Schedules Hearing

The Indiana Commission on Aging has scheduled a public hearing on its 1976 State Plan in New Albany on Sept. 10.

The 2 p.m. session will be conducted on the third floor of the City-County Building in New Albany.

The plan is the commission's proposal for its work during the coming year, including objectives and budgetary matters.

Hot lunch menu

Here is the hot lunch menu for Oct. 6-10 served at noon in the Senior Citizens Center, Corydon.

Monday: beef noodle casserole, Harvard beets, green beans, rye bread and grapefruit juice.

Tuesday: baked turkey, sweet potatoes, chopped broccoli, white bread and pineapple chunks.

Wednesday: ham and black eyed peas, kale greens, baked apples, white bread and cake, additional, cheese slices.

Thursday: beef barbecue, potato chips, diced carrots, rye bread and peach and cottage cheese salad.

Friday: fried chicken, baked potato, spinach, cornbread, and apricots.

Reservations must be made the day before between 10:30 a. m. - 12:30 p. m. Numbers to call are 738-3065 or 738-3410.

Nutrition Program Hits 200 Mark

Attendance for the Title VII Nutrition Program held weekdays at the Scott County Senior House in Scottsburg reached the 200 mark last week, advised acting co-site director Mary Naylor.

Reservations for the noon meal program, sponsored by the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, are taken one day in advance at the center, Mrs Naylor said, adding that reservations for the following day must be in by 2:30 p.m. the previous afternoon.

The well-balanced meals are designed to aid in the nutrition of those above 60 years of age, it was noted, and participants in the program are asked to pay only according to their income.

All senior citizens are invited to call the Senior House at 752-4134 and make reservations for noon meals, the site director urged.

Planned for the coming week of October 13 through 17 is for MONDAY: Ham and beans, broccoli spears, stewed tomatoes, rye bread, fruit cocktail, and cheese and crackers; TUESDAY: Beef barbecue sandwich, cream style corn, green beans, and orange juice; WEDNESDAY: Chicken livers, baked potato with sour cream, carrot salad, white bread, and ice cream; THURSDAY: Turkey with gravey dressing, cranberry salad, corn bread, custard pie, and cheese slices; and FRIDAY: Beef, macaroni, and cheese casserole, buttered beets, cole slaw, white bread, and ice cream.

The Senior House, located at 183 South Second Street, is open from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

A van is available through the week to provide senior citizens with transportation, stated Mrs. Naylor.

Those in need of transportation should contact the House at the telephone number above, she said.

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The Chronicle Weekender, Scottsburg, IN. Saturday, September 13, 1975

Picnic, Devotions Set For Senior House

Approximately 25 members of the Scott County Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) will attend that organization's staff picnic scheduled for Wednesday afternoon at the Clark County Forestry near Henryville, a spokeswoman for the county Senior House related this week.

Acting site director Mary Naylor advised that the group will be picked up at the Senior House in Scottsburg at 1:00 p.m. that day by Reverend Joe Hodge and transported to and from the picnic.

A group of senior citizens who performed a popular skit at this year's Indiana State Fair will again present their version of "Life Begins at 60" at the picnic, which is designed to show appreciation of all RSVP workers in Clark, Floyd, Harrison, and Scott counties.

Dignitaries to be on hand for the event will include South Central Indiana Council on Aging Executive Director Thelma Bertrand, Title VII Nutrition Program Director Mary Lukemeier, and RSVP Director Jackie Cox.

Aside from the picnic, Mrs. Naylor noted that few planned activities have been slated, but she added that Reverend Stanley Thomas from the Zoah Christian Church will be the guest minister at Friday afternoon devotions.

Scheduled for the Title VII Nutrition Program's menu at the Senior House for the week of September 15 through 19 will include for MONDAY: Sliced beef with gravy, creamed potatoes, chopped broccoli, white bread, and sliced peaches; TUESDAY: Swedish meat balls, tossed salad with dressing, buttered cauliflower, corn bread, chocolate pie, and cheese and crackers; WEDNESDAY: Sliced ham, baked beans, pineapple chunks, rye bread, and cake; THURSDAY: Beef, macaroni, and cheese casserole, carrot salad, green beans, corn bread, ice cream, and blackberry cobbler; and FRIDAY: Fried chicken, baked potato with sour cream, spinach, white bread, and pudding.

Attendance for meals at the center during the week of September 1 through 5 equalled 196 persons.

Saturday, September 6, 1975

Senior House Serves 193

Reverend Larry Nichols, minister of the New Providence Baptist Church, will be featured Friday, September 12, at the Scott County Senior House's weekly devotion services.

Mrs. Ruby Morgan, acting site director of the center, noted that Rev. Nichols is the only guest scheduled for next week at the Senior House.

A group of senior citizens will visit the Scottsburg Bowling Lanes for their weekly bowling outing Wednesday, she said, and other activities such as card-playing and television are available at the house.

The Senior House experienced a slight rise in meals served under the auspices of the Title VII Nutrition Center during the last week of August, Mrs. Morgan reported.

According to attendance figures, 193 meals were served from August 25 through 29 at the center, she stated.

On the Title VII menu for the coming week of September 8 through 12 will be for MONDAY: Beef pot pie, stewed tomatoes, white bread, ice cream, and cherry pie; TUESDAY: Pork roast, sauer kraut, mashed potatoes, corn bread, cake, and cheese and crackers; WEDNESDAY: Baked chicken with gravy, dressing, candied yams, white bread, and pineapple chunks; THURSDAY: Sauteed liver with gravy, been salad, baked potato, rye bread, butterscotch pudding, and cheese and crackers; and FRIDAY: Beef manhattan, green beans, mashed potatoes, white bread, apple pie, and orange juice.

All senior citizens over age 60 are welcome to participate in the Title VII program which, like all Senior House activities, is sponsored by the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged.

Participants are asked to pay only according to their income, Mrs. Morgan advised.

The Senior House, located at 183 South Second Street, opens at 9:00 a.m. every weekday, closing at 4:00 p.m. those evenings.

THIS GROUP SEEMS TO BE RELAXING after finishing their crafts. From left, Alma Estes, Violette Prewitt, Ruby Hamilton, J.T. Hamilton. +

Busy

WORKSHOP DIRECTOR Bob Maze (center) joined this group as they worked. From left are Ruth Amick, Eunice Whalin, Myrtle Caudill, Mabel Reis, Nellis Nash, Ada Egan, Thelma Sweeney. +

am still getting this crazy picture in the mail

HONORED — Oren Wilson and Ester Newkirk, center, were honored recently by the Kiwanis Club of Historic New Albany naming them "Senior Citizens of The Year." Presenting the winners plaque are Dennis Richardson, left, president of Kiwanis and far right, Larry Alt, member of the major emphasis committee of Kiwanis. Winners were selected on the basis of service to the community, concern for the problems of senior citizens and dedication to service.

THIS TABLE OF INDUSTRIOUS FOLK busy at their work are: Albert Meder, Reid Long, Marion Prewitt, Beulah Cook, Dorothy Griffin, Henry Cook. +

'Workshop Day' held every week at Friendship Center

Activities are many for those who enjoy the hours they spend each day with the Nutrition Program at the Friendship Center at Charlestown.

Every Thursday is 'Workshop Day' under the direction of Bob Maze. A trip to Brownstown is planned for early October. +

The Tribune, New Albany, Tuesday, Sept. 17, 1974, Page -

PROJECT MENU PLAN — PROGRAM FOR THE ELDERLY

Day Month, Date,	Tuesday 9/17	Wednesday 9/18	Thursday 9/19	Friday 9/20	Monday 9/23
MEAT OR ALTERNATE 3 OZ. COOKED EDIBLE PORTION	Spare Ribs in Barbecue Sauce	Pork Steak	Baked Chicken	Surf-o-Patty w/tartar sauce	Sliced Beef w/gravy X
Vegetables & Fruits 2-½ Cup Servings	Mashed Potatoes	Mashed Potatoes	Dressing	Peas	Mashed Potatoes
	Corn	Sauer Kraut	Broccoli with Cheese Sauce	Cole Slaw	Stewed Tomatoes
BREAD OR ALTERNATE 1 SERVING	Whole Wheat Bread	Corn Bread	White Bread	Corn Bread	Rye Bread
BUTTER OR FORTIFIED MARGARINE 1 TEASPOON	X	X	X	X	X
DESSERT ½ Cup	Apricots	Chocolate Pudding	Nectarine	Cake	Ice Cream
BEVERAGE (OPTIONAL)	X	X	X	X	X

SHOWING THEIR 'COWS' that they have made are from left, Ada Egan, Anna Leitz, Jane Roberts, standing, Alma Estes, Jean Frickhoeffer, standing, Henry Cook, Lola Maymon, Katie Blackwell. Mrs. Roberts and Mrs. Frickhoeffer are workers with the group. In the background is Eunice Whalin. +

New Director Lists Senior Activities

A new acting co-site director has been named for the Scott County Senior House in Scottsburg, it was announced this week.

Mrs. Mary Naylor will join returning co-site director Marge Julian in administration duties at the center, located at 183 South Second Street.

She said next week at the Senior House, center participants will enjoy bowling on Wednesday afternoon as well as crafts, television, and euchre.

In addition, Friday's devotions will be hosted by Reverend John Bowling of the Little York Christian Church, Mrs. Naylor advised.

Senior citizens over age 60 are also invited to participate in the daily Title VII Nutrition program meals served at the house. Attendance at meals for the week of September 15 through 19 equalled 188 persons, the co-site director noted.

Planned for the menu of the week of September 29 through October 3 is for MONDAY: Meat loaf with tomato gravy, mashed potatoes, beets, white bread, and chocolate pudding; TUESDAY: Fried chicken, baked potato with sour cream, brussel sprouts, white bread, and apricots; WEDNESDAY: Baked ham, baked beans, carrot jello salad, rye bread, cake, and cheese slices; THURSDAY: Beef chunks in brown gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, corn bread, custard pie, and sliced tomato with cottage cheese; and FRIDAY: Chicken and dumplings, chopped broccoli, applesauce, rye bread, ice cream, and cheese and crackers.

Senior citizens wishing to participate in the Title VII Program must make reservations one day in advance by calling the Senior House at 752-4134, Mrs. Naylor stated.

Participants are asked to pay only according to their income, she added.

The Senior House and all programs conducted there are supported by the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging, headquartered in New Albany.

New Senior House Opened for Scott

Dorothy Linzay, state director for the Title VII Nutrition program in Scott country, is shown with Marge Julian behind steam table and Margaurite Williams who is preparing to serve to someone waiting to enjoy their lunch at the new Senior House located at 183 South Second Street.

Ida Downs is pouring coffee for the senior citizens eating lunch at the new Senior Home in Scottsburg. The meals are available under the Title VII Nutrition Program in Scott county.

Mary Lukemeier, Title VII Project Director for Scott, Harrison, Floyd and Clark counties, Doloris Jewell and Hazel Feaster help deliver meals to senior citizens unable to come to Senior House for the meals.

TITLE VII NUTRITION PROGRAM

Scott County's Title VII Nutrition Program has moved from Red's Smorgasbord to the new Scott County Senior House at 183 South Second, one block east of Red's Smorgasbord.

Red's Smorgasbord will cater the meals as in the past, but the senior citizens can now meet for lunch and enjoy fellowship at the new facilities.

Anyone in Scott County over 60 years old is eligible to come and be served free lunch between 11 a. m. and 12 noon, six days a week. The senior house will be open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. daily.

The Senior House, was unofficially opened Monday. The Grand Opening will be held in two weeks. The Senior House is designed to provide recreation and fellowship for the elderly. Many types of recreation and activities will be provided under the Director-ship of Dorothy Lindsey who also serves as nutrition director in Scott county.

Title VII project director, Mary Lukemeier is seeking volunteer kitchen help to serve in this project. Volunteers are also helping by carrying out lunch to those who cannot come in.

The Nutrition program is funded to feed 40 meals a day. Reservations for meals must be called in by noon on a previous day. The telephone number at Senior House is 752-4134.

MENU FOR WEEK OF SEPT. 23

MONDAY-Pinto Beans and Ham, Baked Apples, Tossed Salad, Corn Bread, Apricots.

TUESDAY-Sliced Beef With Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Stewed Tomatoes, Rye Bread, Ice Cream.

WEDNESDAY - Fried Chicken, Baked Potato, Green Beans, White Bread, Cherry Pie.

THURSDAY-Liver and Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Cooked Cabbage, Whole Wheat Bread, Fruit Jello.

FRIDAY-Fried Fish, Scalloped Potatoes, Chopped Broccoli, Corn Bread, Cup Cakes.

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Workshop Scheduled For Oct. 4

Robert Maze is the director of the Retired Senior Volunteer Program (R.S.V.P.) at 1721 Ekin Avenue, New Albany. One of the program's many projects is to start a workshop at the First Church of God, Jeffersonville, on October 4. The purpose of the workshop is to give people 60 years of age and older an opportunity to get together and share their interests and hobbies.

"The first Jeffersonville workshop for the Retired Senior Volunteer Program will start on Thursday, October 4 at the First Church of God, 999 East Ninth Street, Jeffersonville," stated Bob Maze, R.S.V.P. director. The workshop will start at 10:00 a.m. and continue until 3:00 p.m.

"These workshops will be operated throughout Clark and Floyd Counties and we hope to include all of the towns, such as Charlestown, Sellersburg, Speed, Georgetown, Greenville and others within the next two months."

The purpose of these workshops is to give people 60 years old and older an opportunity to get together, socialize and share their interests and hobbies. Favors for hospitals and nursing homes, walker bags, lap robes, pictures and other items will be the major thrust of this program.

The community will have an opportunity to be a part of this program, Maze explained. Scraps of polyester material to be used for patch work pillows and lap robes will be needed. Old sheet blankets for linings of the lap robes, pieces of backing and yarn for tacking will also be needed. Christmas and greeting cards and other craft materials could be utilized.

Seniors, both men and women, interested in enjoying the fellowship of the program should call Bob Maze at the R.S.V.P. office, 948-8330.

Anyone who has supplies which can be used may call the same number and arrangements will be made for pick-up.

"The RSVP program is one of the many programs Southern Indiana plans to bring to the Senior Citizens in an effort to enrich their lives and also give others the benefit of their experience and talents," states Maze.

New Nutrition Director Named

Mary Lukemeier is the new nutrition director for the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc.

Hot nutritious meals will be served at noon each day, Monday through Friday to people 60 years old or older. The starting date for the opening of the sites for the meals is October 8. Mrs. Lukemeier will be in charge of all six meal sites in Clark, Floyd and Harrison Counties.

Those wishing to be added to the program must contact Mrs. Lukemeier at 948-8873. The total number of people to be served must be turned in by 2:00 p.m. the preceding day. On the first day the date to turn in reservations is October 5 due to the weekend. The meals will be catered by a local service.

The cost of the meal is to be determined by the person receiving. They may pay all, part or none of the cost, if they are unable to do so. Envelopes will be given and the person can put in the amount he can afford to pay.

People in all income brackets are encouraged to come and enjoy the fellowship of eating together and the other supportive services. The only stipulation is that the recipient be 60 years of age or older. Transportation will be provided to and from the meal sites whenever necessary.

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Pick Nutrition Chief For Meals For Aged Program

"We are delighted to have Mary Lukemeier as our Title VII nutrition director," announced Thelma Bertrand, executive director of the South Central Indiana Council For The Aging and Aged, Inc.

The starting date for the opening of the sites is Oct. 8. Ho nutritious meals wil be served at noon each day, Monday thru Friday. People who have indicated they wish to be a recipient of the program will be contacted the week of Sept. 26. Those wishing to be added are asked to contact Mrs. Lukemeier, 948-8873. She will be in charge of all six meal sites in Floyd, Clark and Harrison Counties. The total number of people to be served must be turned in by 2 p.m. the preceding day. On the first day the date to turn in reservations is Oct. 5, due to the weekend. The meals will be catered by the Lancaster Catering Service.

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Aso included in the service will be trips to groceries, shopping centers, and other points of interest. Entertainment and crafts will be provided. The program will be planned with the participants, not for them.

Church Women United in the three counties have volunteered to assist in he transportation as well as church buses. Frances Quinn, chairman of Area two (Clark, Crawford, Floyd, Harrison, Jackson, Lawrence, Orange, and Washington Counties) Church Women United I Indiana, is chairman of volunteer services for the Title VII Nutrition Program. Those wishing to volunteer as drivers or to assist in serving at the sites are requested to call Mrs. Quinn, 945-7566, or: Floyd County: Velsie Tyler 944-6231 and Betty Tuttle 944-3315; Harrison County: Helen Haggard 738-3139 Lt. Col Alliene Ehlat 738-4649 or Haze Zeor 738-2491.

In Clark County: Jeffersonville-Clarksvile, Catherine Richardson 283 - 3896, Alberta Graves 283-7745, Marcy Sanders, 282-3682, Norma Roth, 945-3959; in Charlestown, Ruth Peake 256-2295, Robert Robinson 256-5205, Dr. Galen Hover 256-5182 or in Sellersburg: Carmen VanWingen 246-2259, Rev. Drew Morris 246-9019.

MARY LUKEMEIER
. . . Food Expert

Monday, April 28, 1975

A 'GETTING TO KNOW YOU' PARTY of friends of the Wall Street United Methodist Church, Jeffersonville, was held at the Derby Playhouse in observance of the anniversary of the engagement of Dr. and Mrs. Howard Ellis and the birthday anniversary of the late Mrs. G. M. Brickler. In attendance were, clockwise, Superior Court Judge Harry Paynter, Culmer Lentz, Mrs. Lentz, Mrs. Ellis, Dr. Ellis and Mrs. Paynter.

ALSO JOINING IN THE FESTIVITIES were, clockwise, Mrs. Cecile Skinner, Robert Davis, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Glen Hartsock, Glen Hartsock and G. M. Brickler.

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Cookies shown, tasted at State Fair

Rosa Cunningham and Pearl Mauck, sisters, posed for a photo last week after they had exhibited their cookies at the Indiana State Fair. Mrs. Mauck won first place with her Cocoa Krisp cookies. Mrs. Cunningham received second place honors on her "Out-Of-This World" cookies. They went to Indianapolis and entered their cookies as representatives of Harrison County Senior Citizens.

Program explained to senior citizens, but most say they don't understand it

By JERRY HICKS
Louisville Times Staff Writer

For an hour and a half yesterday William Hulick of the Indiana Commission on the Aging and Aged spoke to senior citizens in New Albany, explainging what the state intends to do for them in the next year.

The talk was a mixture of titles, state objectives, steps, project dates and allocation plans. And when it was over most of the audience of about 75 admitted they didn't understand most of what he'd said, but they said it all sounded good.

"Basically, it was a formality having this hearing," said a council staff member from southwestern Indiana. "For 90 per cent of the people here it was a total waste of time."

But at least one senior citizen, Kathryn Eicholz, of New Albany, thought the statewide plan had something missing.

"If you had room, maybe you could stick in somewhere, even if on the last page, something to tell your drivers and volunteers that when they deal with senior citizens to just use a little T.L.C.," she said. "And that means Tender Loving Care."

Mrs. Eicholz said some drivers who deliver hot meals to senior citizens in the nutrition program almost throw it at the people they are serving.

"You know what it takes to please these people? Just a little love, that's all," she said. "Just someone to say, 'Hello, sweetheart, how you doing today?' If you could get that in your book, maybe it would help."

Despite her suggestion for improvement, Mrs. Eicholz was full of praise for the state office on aging.

Several women spoke after Hulick was finished. But mostly they talked about their work in senior-citizen clubs, making no mention of the state plan.

One woman read a poem.

Florence Kaelin, of Floyd County, encouraged senior citizens to get involved in projects that benefit others. She makes items for needy children.

It wasn't the type of response that Maurice E. Endwright, executive director of the state commission, was expecting. The public hearings — there will be three before the state plan is submitted to the federal government for funding — were designed to see how the public felt about the commission's suggestions.

But Endwright didn't really mind.

There's nothing wrong, he said, with "a good old-fashioned testimonial."

"These kinds of things are what it's all about," he said. "If they aren't going on in some counties, they ought to be."

But Endwright did say most of the drivers and other volunteers in senior-citizen programs are usually courteous and interested in the people they serve.

"We occasionally get careless, or forget ourselves," he said.

The state plan does not vary much from previous state plans, except this year there is more emphasis on development of county councils to help the programs reach more people, and to help the state determine what senior citizens' needs are.

"We know there are a lot of people that we're not reaching," Hulick said. "But it's going to take some help on the county level to find them."

Thelma Bertrand, director of the aging council for Floyd, Clark, Harrison and Scott counties, said many senior citizens in the rural areas of those counties are not included in many programs because most of the money is concentrated in New Albany, Clarksville, Jeffersonville and Scottsburg.

"If we can get more money (from Title Twenty, a new welfare program) we're going to move into Henryville, and Pekin, and Georgetown, places like that," she said.

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RSVP Session Is Slated At Center

Several events have been scheduled at the Scott County Senior House for the week of October 13 through 17, acting co-site director Marge Julian advised.

On Monday, October 13, Jackie Cox, Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) director with the South Central Council for the Aging, will visit the local center for the monthly RSVP session, Mrs. Julian stated.

All senior citizens are invited to participate in the RSVP program.

Also that Monday, a vanload of senior citizens will attend a "Senior Night" at the New Albany Holiday Inn where meals will be served at a special price of $1.00.

Anyone over age 60 is encouraged to attend the weekly "Senior Night," Mrs. Julian said, and as an extra treat that evening, the "Red Hot Rythmaires" band from the New Albany Senior House will perform.

Slated for Wednesday afternoon is the senior citizens' weekly bowling session at the Scottsburg Bowling Lanes, and then on Friday, Reverend N. T. Patton from the Austin Christian Church will be the guest minister at the weekly devotions session.

Wednesday, October 15, 1975

Tempting Menu Scheduled At Senior House

Along with regular activities planned for the week of October 20 through 24 at the Scott County Senior House, another tempting menu of lunches has been scheduled for participants of the Title VII Nutrition Program, noted acting co-site director Mary Naylor.

Set for the coming week are for MONDAY: Beef noodle casserole, chopped broccoli, whole kernal corn, white bread, and cottage cheese with tomato salad; TUESDAY: Barbecued chicken, spinach, potato salad, white bread, and orange juice; WEDNESDAY: Beef pot pie, with vegetables, stewed tomatoes, white bread, ice cream, and cheese and crackers; THURSDAY: Chicken and dumplings, green beans, sliced carrots, corn bread, and chocolate pie; and FRIDAY: Pork roast with gravy, mashed potatoes, sauer kraut, whole wheat bread, apricots, and cheese and crackers.

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Transportation and meal reservations can be arranged by calling Senior House staff at 752-4134, Mrs. Naylor said.

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The Louisville Times Thursday, September 11, 1975

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By JERRY HICKS
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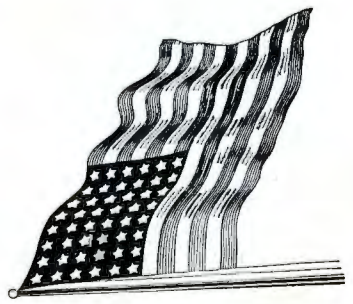

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— Funeral Services —
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— Officiating —
Rev. Ellis Cowling
Rev. Nelson Chamberlin

— Pallbearers —
Paul Kochert — Jack Board
Vallis Albin — Kenneth Stout
Clyde Mathews — Nolan Hottell

— Final Resting Place —
Cedar Hill Cemetery
Corydon, Indiana

— Arrangements By —
Beanblossom - Steenbergen Funeral Home

The Twenty-Third Psalm

The Lord is my Shepherd: I shall not want.
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures:
He leadeth me beside the still waters.
He restoreth my soul: He leadeth me in the
paths of righteousness for his name's sake.
Yea, though I walk through the valley of the
shadow of death, I will fear no evil:
for thou art with me: thy rod and
thy staff they comfort me.
Thou preparest a table before me in the
presence of mine enemies:
thou anointest my head with oil:
my cup runneth over.
Surely goodness and mercy shall follow
me all the days of my life: and I will
dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

crafts workshop to go with recreational activities such as bingo.

Although Mrs. Newkirk is the primary organizer, she tries to keep the decision-making as democratic as possible.

For instance, meals at the eight other Floyd County nutrition sites are served at noon. But the people at Parkview wanted to move it up to 11:30 so they could get a good start on afternoon activities. So Mrs. Newkirk moved the time up.

"We're just so proud of both of them for getting that award," Mrs. Lukemeier said. "They really make that program go at Parkview."

Sometimes, Wilson points out, people believe that when you turn retirement age there isn't much left to do.

Both Wilson and Mrs. Newkirk are 67.

"I enjoy this job mostly because it puts me in contact with so many other senior citizens," he said, "And I can tell you that there a lot of good people among them. Some of them are pretty old, of course, and they don't ask much of people, just a friendly word or two."

Wilson serves dozens of meals to people too old or ill to leave their apartments at Parkview. He has become such a popular delivery man that most of them request him, and if he gives the job to someone else for a day there are a few who don't order another meal until he comes back.

"I know it seems a little silly," he said. "But I always act like I'm glad to see them, which I am, and many of them don't get any visitors. I tell them, though, they shouldn't refuse a meal just because I can't bring it up myself."

Mrs. Newkirk loves her job, too, but seems annoyed that a fuss is being made over her this week.

Volunteers do most of the work, she says, and the credit for a good program goes to them.

"One day I told Bob Carver (an unsuccessful candidate for mayor in past years) that I didn't have a driver for the hot meals we serve outside Parkview," she related. "Bob says, 'You've got one now—me.' And do you know he served five days a week up until the campaign in February. Now he just drives once a week. But I don't know what we would have done without him."

She is also quick to boast about her friend Wilson.

"Couldn't make a cup of coffee when he started," she said with a laugh. "But he sure makes great coffee now."

Others who know Wilson are quick to point out he does another service for Parkview. He is the self-appointed bird and squirrel feeder, which he says he enjoys as much as the kitchen work.

The other day a squirrel started eating small crab apples off a bush outside his window.

"That squirrel pretty soon was rolling over on its back and holding its belly it was so sick," he said with a laugh. "You should have seen him."

Staff Photo by Bryan Moss

Esther Newkirk and Oren L. Wilson have been cited for their services to the elderly under the Floyd County nutritional program.

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A few kind words

Elderly citizens praise state programs at New Albany public hearing

By MIKE KING
Courier-Journal Staff Writer

What started out as a public hearing on Indiana's plans to care for its elderly citizens turned into a testimonial in New Albany yesterday.

The testimonial came at the end of the hearing from several elderly residents of Clark, Floyd and Harrison counties. They said they wanted to publicly thank the workers in the state and local agencies who are helping thousands of the area's senior citizens.

"I'll tell you, it just makes me feel good to know we live in a great country and a great state that thinks so much of its older Americans that they provide all these services for us," said Kathryn Eicholz, 78, of New Albany. "We know how good they are and how hard the people work for us, and we appreciate it. What we want to do is get more people like us involved."

The hearing was held by the Indiana Commission on the Aging and Aged. The commission staff presented a lengthy report outlining the state's proposed $9-million budget for the fiscal year beginning Oct. 1.

But the majority of the approximately 75 persons who attended the hearing at the City-County Building did not come to hear budget proposals. Many, like Mrs. Eicholz, wanted to tell the commission and the local agencies that administer the funds that they appreciated their help.

"That's what I like about coming to New Albany," said Maurice E. Endwright, executive director of the state commission. "Because you have a good old-fashioned testimonial each time we're here. And, after all, that's what it's all about. If these kinds of things aren't going on in some counties in Indiana, they ought to be, and that's what we are here for."

The elderly resident praised the state's nutrition program, which provides daily hot meals at little or no cost to senior citizens; the Retired Senior Volunteer Program, in which elderly residents work in arts and crafts, making articles for children and the disadvantaged; and a variety of other programs fo rsenior citizens in Indiana.

They had kind words for almost everyone, from the state commission staff to the volunteers for the local agencies who drive the buses that take them to shopping centers or meal sites.

"This is a wonderful program, and all I want to emphasize is that I hope it gets bigger and bigger, so we can get to those people who now don't know about it," said Catherine Richardson, 79, of Jeffersonville. "That's our most important goal — to stretch out and reach all the people that we possibly can."

Florence Kaelin, of Floyd County, said she only recently began taking part in the many programs offered by the South Central Council for the Aging and Aged, which serves Clark, Floyd, Harrison and Scott counties. Last year she was elected the county's senior citizen queen.

"I tell you, it's just wonderful to see the eyes of little children when we present them with something we've made (in one of the senior citizens programs)," Mrs. Kaelin said. "They just light up, and it makes us feel wonderful to see it. That's what I like about it."

The state commission staff said it wasn't upset that the hearing turned into a testimonial. The commission plans a final hearing next week in Indianapolis before submitting its proposals to Gov. Otis R. Bowen.

"I thing this just shows that the state's plans for helping older Hoosiers get right down to the grass roots level," said 74-year-old Edna Troth Walker, a commission member from Orleans. "So many times we get bogged down in numbers and statistics. It's nice to see and hear how things are going on at this kind of a personal level."

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Senior House Participants Advised To Call In Meal Reservations Earlier

A 2:30 p.m. cutoff time has been designated by Scott County Senior House personnel for daily reservations for the Title VII Nutrition Program, advised acting co-site director Mary Naylor this week.

Mrs. Naylor stressed the importance of senior citizens participating in the daily meal program calling the Senior House before the 2:30 p.m. cutoff for meal reservations for the following day.

"We must observe this cutoff period if we are to run an efficient program with the least amount of waste possible,"she commented.

The acting site director noted that 172 meals were served at the center during the previous week of September 22 through 26.

For the coming week of September 29 through October 3, senior citizens over age 60 will enjoy on MONDAY: Beef noodle casserole, harvard beets, green beans, rye bread, and grapefruit juice; TUESDAY: Baked turkey, sweet potatoes, chopped broccoli, white bread, and pineapple chunks; WEDNESDAY: Ham and blackeyed peas, kale greens, baked apples, white bread, cake, and cheese slices; THURSDAY: Beef barbecue, potato chips, diced carrots, rye bread, and a peach and cottage cheesesalad; and FRIDAY: Fried chicken, baked potato, spinach, corn bread, and apricots.

Reservations for the Title VII program, supported by the South Central Council on the Aging and Aged, may be made by calling the center at 752-4134.

All senior citizens over age 60 are eligible to partcipate in the nutrition program, related Mrs. Naylor.

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THE EVENING NEWS, JEFFERSONVILLE, INDIANA TUESDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1975

The Title VII Nutrition Program, sponsored by the South Central Council for the Aging and Aged, held a second anniversary celebration at the Wall Street United Methodist hospitality site. Pictured from left, first row, seated around the table, are Helen Opel, Regina Williams, Louise Roerk, Georgia Bushau, Edith Barker, Edna Biddle, Frank Dye and LaVerne Dye; second row, standing, Dr. Howard Ellis, Ruth Wiegel, Lurena King, Blanche Kimble, Leona Zuerner, Laura Watkins, Betty Schwein, Doris Ruddell and Ethel Caldwell. Not pictured were Louise Rager, Norma Nachand, Helen Mack, Theresa Peel, Bill Ruddell, Mary Ann Reas, Evelyn Hendrickson, Thelma Boyce, Al Helzer, Margaret Boyer, Mattie Goodman, Loretta Scheller, Mareth Ellis, Gerri Rinkel, Carl Kirkman and Helen Kopp.

Wednesday, December 31, 1975

Retired Persons Meet Over Dinner

The American Association of Retired Persons, Chapter 1837, Jeffersonville, held a dinner meeting at a local church.

Guest speaker of the evening was Mrs. Mary Lukemeier, a representative of the Council for the Aged and Aging.

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SR. CITIZENS BAZAAR — The Senior Citizens group of the William O. Vance Court Recreation Center has scheduled a bazaar at the center for Saturday, Nov. 8, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., featuring ceramics and other handmade items. Proceeds from the event will go back to the group for the purchase of supplies as well as to sponsor a child in the D.N.C. Clothe-A-Child program. Group members and sponsors looking over some of the handmae items are from left, Lillie Bodine, Patricia Holbrook, ceramic instructor; Margaret Hawk, Virginia Mosley, Anna Johnson, Janette Johnson, Martha Brown, site director and Rose Edwards.

(Tribune Photo)

Blood Pressure Clinic Set At Senior House

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Scheduled events at the Scott County Senior House for the first week of October will include the monthly blood pressure screening clinic, to begin at 12:30 p.m. Tuesday, October 7, at the local center, advised acting co-site director Mary Naylor this week.

Mrs. Naylor stated that the clinic is open to all senior citizens in Scott County over age 60, and the service is free.

Medical technicians from Ross Medi-Van Services as well as volunteer nurses will be on hand to "read" blood pressures for those interested in visiting the clinic, she said.

Besides the weekly senior visit to the Scottsburg Bowling Lanes on Wednesday afternoon, Senior House participants will also hold their Friday devotions period with guest minister Wayne Stacy from the Austin Baptist Church in attendance.

The Senior House is open weekdays from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and is located at 183 South Second Street in Scottsburg.

Mrs. Naylor said that those persons desiring transportation to and from the center are welcome to call the house at 752-4134 to make arrangements.

THE EVENING NEWS, JEFFERSONVILLE, INDIANA TUESDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1975

The Title VII Nutrition Program, sponsored by the South Central Council for the Aging and Aged, held a second anniversary celebration at the Gilt Edge Baptist Church hospitality site. Pictured from left, first row, seated, are Susan Johnson, Young Edward Wright, Floyd Head, Ella Reason, Rachel Middleton, Thelma Howell, Velma Clark holding Kamya Mottey and Bernice Smith; second row, standing, Lucille Caldwell, Mary Shannon, secretary for the South Central Council for the Aging and Aged, District 14, Caroline Wells, Namie Wagoner, Nell Ruth Sims, Anna Schultz, Jennie Stovall, Joyce Pursiful holding Damon Vaughn, Ola Thornton and Hubert Mills.

Activities Set For Senior House

With the holiday season now over, the Scott County Senior House will host the weekly Wednesday afternoon bingo games once again, advised Site Director Dorothy Linzay.

Other activities slated include an afternoon crafts session on Thursdays, she stated. Mrs. Fay Sweany from the Harmony Chapel Homemakers' Club will instruct senior citizens on knitting and crocheting during the crafts classes.

On Friday, Reverend Don Hepler of the Scottsburg Christian Church will host a devotions hour for those persons attending the Title VII Nutrition program at the house, Mrs. Linzay said.

The projected meal menu for the week of January 6 through 10 includes for MONDAY: Fried chicken, au gratin potatoes, kale greens, rye bread, and fruit jello; TUESDAY: Meat loaf, mashed potatoes, broccoli with cheese sauce, corn bread, and custard pie; WEDNESDAY: Fried chicken livers, baked potato with sour cream, corn, white bread, and apricots; THURSDAY: Roast beef with gravy, mixed vegetables, pineapple chunks, white bread, and a cup cake; and FRIDAY: Macaroni and cheese, green beans, stewed tomatoes, corn bread, and ice cream.

The Title VII Nutrition program is open to all senior citizens over the age of sixty and is held Monday through Friday at the Senior House at 183 South Second Street in Scottsburg.

Participants must make reservations one day in advance of the day they wish to eat by calling Mrs. Linzay at 752-4134.

The menus

The following will be served this week in the centers for the elderly operated by the Metropolitan Social Services Department:

TOMORROW — Meat loaf in Creole sauce, mashed potatoes, sliced carrots, and gelatin with fruit.

TUESDAY — Baked chicken, sweet potatoes, mixed vegetables, and chocolate cake.

WEDNESDAY — Pork chops, lyonnaise potatoes, buttered peas, and mixed fruit.

THURSDAY — Meat balls and gravy, buttered noodles, mixed greens, and banana.

FRIDAY — Bratwurst, potato salad, pickled beets, and spice cake.

Beverages and bread and butter are available daily.

The department requests that diners make reservations a day in advance, preferably by 1 p.m.

Senior Citizens of the Clark Arms Apartments Title VII Nutrition Program, Jeffersonville, held a first year birthday celebration. Pictured from left, first row, seated, are Clara Burn, Leonora Reach, program director and Edna Barratt; second row, Ruth Kifer, Margie Monroe, Bernice Preston, M. C. Preston, Leona Spellman, Opal Goft, Mary Leep and Helen Lacy; third row, Edna Hart, Alberta Hook and Josie Carter.

Staff Photo by Henry Hamman

Jeffersonville's Gilt Edge Baptist Church served as a food center in the nutrition program yesterday.

OCTOBER 9, 1973

First-day efforts pleasing

Program opens to provide meals for the aged in three counties

By HENRY HAMMAN
Courier-Journal & Times Staff Writer

A three-county program aimed at improving nutrition among elderly people got under way yesterday, and while there were some opening-day hitches, officials of the sponsoring agency said they were pleased with results.

The program, sponsored by the South Central Council on the Aging and the Aged provides a hot noon meal to people aged 60 and over who are unable to feed themselves properly

The meals are provided at six different locations in Clark, Floyd and Harrison counties.

Financing for the program is supplied by a $112,320 federal grant from the Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

The local program is one of the first in Indiana to start operation.

Mary Lukemeier, the program's nutrition director, said today she is pleased with yesterday's start.

"For the first day, it went beautifully," she said.

She estimated that from 160 to 180 meals were served in the six meal centers. Additionally, about 30 meals were delivered to persons who are unable to travel to the centers.

Within three months, the program has a goal of serving 288 meals daily, with about 10 per cent of the total delivered to homes.

Mrs. Lukemeier said she anticipates no problems in reaching, and possibly exceeding the goal.

She said within the next week she hopes to begin social programs in conjunction with the meals as well as providing weekly trips to grocery stores for participants

Mrs. Lukemeier said there were some minor problems with the first day's operation, including a mixup at one meal center about the cost of the meals.

There are no financial requirements for participation in the program, but participants who can do so are asked to contribute to the cost of the meals

Volunteer drivers are used to transport participants to the meal centers. Thelma Bertrand, council director, said about 10 volunteers aided in transportation yesterday

THE CHRONICLE
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Nutrition Program Hits 200 Mark

Attendance for the Title VII Nutrition Program held weekdays at the Scott County Senior House in Scottsburg reached the 200 mark last week, advised acting co-site director Mary Naylor.

Reservations for the noon meal program, sponsored by the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, are taken one day in advance at the center, Mrs. Naylor said, adding that reservations for the following day must be in by 2:30 p.m. the previous afternoon.

The well-balanced meals are designed to aid in the nutrition of those above 60 years of age, it was noted, and participants in the program are asked to pay only according to their income.

All senior citizens are invited to call the Senior House at 752-4134 and make reservations for noon meals, the site director urged.

Planned for the coming week of October 13 through 17 is for MONDAY. Ham and beans, broccoli spears, stewed tomatoes, rye bread, fruit cocktail, and cheese and crackers; TUESDAY: Beef barbecue sandwich, cream style corn, green beans, and orange juice; WEDNESDAY: Chicken livers, baked potato with sour cream, carrot salad, white bread, and ice cream; THURSDAY: Turkey with gravey dressing, cranberry salad, corn bread, custard pie and cheese slices; and FRIDAY: Beef, macaroni and cheese casserole, buttered beets, cole slaw, white bread, and ice cream.

The Senior House, located at 183 South Second Street, is open from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

A van is available through the week to provide senior citizens with transportation, stated Mrs. Naylor.

Those in need of transportation should contact the House at the telephone number above, she said.

THE CHRONICLE
SCOTTSBURG, INDIANA PAGE SIX Wednesday, October 22, 1975

'Square' Meals Available At County Senior House

Five "square meals" are featured in the Title VII Nutrition Program for senior citizens over age 60 at the Scott County Senior House.

Scheduled for the coming week of October 27 through 31 are meals including for MONDAY: Sauteed liver, mashed potatoes, broccoli, rye bread, fruit cocktail, and cheese and crackers; TUESDAY: Beef barbecue sandwich, buttered cauliflower, green beans, and ice cream; WEDNESDAY: Sausage patty in gravy, mashed potatoes, kale greens, white bread, grapefruit juice, and cheese slices; THURSDAY: Fried chicken, baked potato with sour cream, buttered carrots, white bread, and cherry pie; and FRIDAY: Beef macaroni and cheese, green beans, cooked cabbage, corn bread, and a chocolate brownie.

The Title VII Nutrition Program presents a weekly menu of well-balanced meals Monday through Friday at the local center in Scottsburg.

Reservations must be made one day in advance before 2:30 p.m. by calling 752-4134. Transportation for those requiring it may also be arranged by contacting the Senior House, it was noted.

The nutrition program is sponsored, as is all Senior House acitvities, by the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging headquartered in New Albany.

The Gilt Edge Baptist Church, Jeffersonville, celebrated its Title VII Nutrition Program, first anniversary. Pictured above, are Savannah Crumes, left and Mrs. Carroline Wells.

Helping Older Citizens

Sunday Ledger-Tribune

PEOPLE

By PAT BAQLEY
'People Editor'

We've just skimmed the surface," says Thelma Bertrand, executive director of the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc. Area 14 Agency, which is an umbrella organization for programs involving senior citizens. The Area 14 Agency takes in the Title VII Nutrition Program, RSVP (Retired Senior Volunteer Program), activity centers, transportation, information and referral and many other services provided for older citizens.

"We had no idea when we started our Title VII program that things would work out as well as they have. We are federally funded to serve 328 meals and we have supplemental funding to serve 62 additional persons, or 390 meals per day. But as figures for September came in, we found we were feeding some 493 persons daily at our nine meal sites," says Mrs. Bertrand.

Also according to the figures, 16,655 meals were served over the level of funding during the period Oct. 1, 1974 to Sept. 30, 1975 for a total of 118,055 meals served during this same period. And if figures hold out the way they're going, the meal sites are estimated to serve 127,200 meals by the end of the year for an increase over last year of 9,145 meals.

Mrs. Bertrand took over the job of exeucitve director of the Area 14 Agency in January 1973 and began planning for the program designed to provide a nutritious hot meal daily for the elderly. "If I had it to do all over again," says Mrs. Bertrand, "the only thing I would change was the opening of six meal sites simult-aneously. It sure was a monumental undertaking all at one time, we just couldn't believe things worked out as well as they did, and I don't think we'd have done as well if it hadn't been for the volunteer help we received from Church Women United."

Not only does the council see that the elderly is provided a hot meal daily, but it also provides transportation to the sites for those who are physically able to go, and for those who are not, volunteers from the Church Women United group delivers approximately 125 meals daily for those who are shut-in.

The council has three vans operating in Floyd, Clark, Harrison and Scott Counties providing transportation to the sites, with the vans in Floyd, Scott and Harrison, also providing additional transportaton to the elderly for trips to the doctor, grocery, pharmacy or anywhere the senior citizens want to go locally and need transportation to get there. And like the meals served daily, participants in the program pay according to their ability, if they can't contribute, they're not turned away. Envelopes are provided at the meal sites so no on ever knows what the other is contributing.

Reservations for the meal sites and transportation elsewhere must be made at least one day in advance Monday through Friday by calling the center 948-9161.

Mrs. Bertrand says the vans were utilized by 1,681 elderly persons during one month recently. "The vans have worked out really well, about the only thing I really feel we need in the way of transportation is a car, so we can fill the many requests from Cancer patients who call and ask if we can take them to Louisville hospitals for treatment." "We feel we just can't tie up a 12-passenger van for up to a half-day at a time, which in some cases would be the amount of time needed for such treatment," says Mrs. Bertrand. "We have to be very frugal with the dollars we receive, because the more money we save the more we can feed."

Also under the umbrella of the Agency 14, is an information and referral service for all non-profit agencies and the council has compiled a composit directory in large type so it can be easily read by the elderly to find where they can go to have their needs met.

Also, the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged at 317 E. 5th Street in New Albany is the site for the Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) which has 342 active senior volunteers in Clark, Floyd, Harrison and Scott Counties, serving 23 communities in these counties. Program director, Jacqueline Cox. says "these people are great, they receive absolutely no reimbursement, all of their time and service is donated to their communities free of charge!"

At the present, there are 32 volunteer stations where these volunteers serve. These include hospitals, nursing homes, meal sites, schools, museums, libraries and most all non-profit charitable organizations.

RSVP volunteers have literally banded together to form the Red Hot Rhythmaires, a senior citizens band that is currently performing during senior citizens night at the Holiday Inn in New Albany and in nursing homes throughout the area. The group is becoming so popular that they have had offers to play during other senior citizens nights and at charitable affairs.

During the past year, RSVP volunteers which range in age from 60 to 94 contributed over 42,000 hours of service to their communities, a huge savings

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ON THE JOB — Making up the staff at the 317 E. Fifth St. site of the South Central Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc. Area 14 Agency are from left, Mary Lukemeier, Evelyn Utley, Wanda Whitaker, Mary Sanders, Jackie Cox, Doris Beets, Guy Roehm, Grace Wilcox, and Bill Higgins. Salaries of most staff members are funded through other agencies such as Manpower, or they are available through grants which inables most Council money to go towards serving more meals at the nutrition sites.

GETTING A NUTRITIOUS MEAL — This is the Beechwood Title VII nutrition site in the Beechwood Housing Project. During the month of September, the program served 493 hot meals at the nine meal sites in Floyd, Clark, Harrison and Scott Counties. The Title VII program is now serving 103 more meals than it is funded for, according to latest figures released from the office of the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc. in New Albany. Reservations for meals must be made one day ahead.

CENTER VOLUNTEERS — Volunteers working out of the activity center at the Council for the Aging and Aged have undertaken the task of sewing clothes for dolls which will be distributed during Christmas by the Salvation Army. Volunteers from left are Wilma Peters, Dorothy Jewell, Betty Rue, Irma Michael, Evelyn Hubert, Irene Locke and Viola McNaughton. Center director is Grace Wilcox.

TAKING A BREAK — RSVP (Retired Senior Volunteers) members of the Red Hot Rhythmaires take a break during a recent performance during senior citizens night at the Holiday Inn, New Albany. The band also performs for area nursing homes and is becoming so popular the group has had offers to play during other senior citizens nights offered by establishments in the area. RSVP currently has 342 senior citizen volunteers in the counties of Clark, Floyd, Harrison and Scott in Indiana. Volunteers range in age from 60 to 94.

NUTRITIONAL CENTER — New Albany Mayor Warren Nash and George Harris, right, chairman of the New Albany Housing Authority, were on hand recently for the opening of the newest Title VII rition Center at the William O. Vance Recreation Center. Martha Brown, site director for the program, serves up a hot meal to the distinguished visitors. The program serves one hot meal per day at several sites to elderly citizens of the tri-county area under a government-funded program. (Tribune Photo)

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR — Mrs. Thelma Bertrand has been executive director of the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc., Area 14 Agency since its beginning in 1973. The Area 14 Agency is an umbrella organization taking in the Title VII nutrition program, Retired Senior Volunteers and many other programs aimed toward senior citizens in Floyd, Clark, Harrison and Scott Counties.

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Senior Citizens Here To Be "Put on Ice"

Sam Peden, general manager of the Kentuckiana Sports Center, has announced the plans for a Senior Citizens Ice Skating Program beginning this week at the Center's arena in Clarksville.

Classes will be taught by the Sports Center's resident pro, Barry Kamber, and will include lessons in basic skills for both beginners and those senior citizens who have skated before.

Classes will be Wednesdays of each week between 2 p. m. and 3 p. m.

Any senior citizens, as individuals or club members, who are 55 or older are invited to participate. Those who are interested in further information may contact Bob Johnson, ice director of the Kentuckiana Sports Center, at 283-0785.

Thursday, November 20, 1975

Senior Citizen Elect Officers

Turkey and all the trimmings was the menu at the Senior Citizens dinner on November 9th. Forty-one members, staff and visitors attended.

Katherine Long, president, presided at the afternoon meeting.

Election of officers resulted in the following being elected: Katherine Long, president; Lillian Perrin, vice president; Olive Woolf, treasurer; Ella Jennings, assistant to the treasurer; Sophia Faber, secretary and publicity chairman; with Sarah Heller to serve as assistant.

Plans were made for the Christmas dinner December 9.

Each person is to bring a covered dish, own table service and $1.00 gift for the grab bag.

Cards were sent to Bertha LaMasters and Cora Bright, who are in Scott County Hospital.

Birthdays in November were celebrated by Bertha Bridgewater, Stanley Jones and Julia West, who is 89 years young and very active in our activities and community.

Cards and Bingo were played during the Social hour.

Out reach workers are available five days a week to take Senior Citizens to Doctors, banks, etc. The van picks up riders on Friday of each week- Phone 794-2914 for transportation.

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TRANSPORTATION PROVIDED — Maxine Spurgeon of Palmyra who has been driving a 12 passenger transportation van for the Aging and Aged Council since November 1974, holds the door for Mrs. Nellie Evans as she begins her trip to do volunteer service at Green Valley Nursing Home. The Council provides transportation locally for anywhere the senior citizens might wish to go and need transportation. Those seeking transportation must call the Council office 948-9701 at least one day ahead of time in order for the van to pick them up. (All Photos by Tribune Staff).

Wednesday, November 5, 1975

Speakers Scheduled For Senior House

Scott County Senior House Director Dorothy Linzay advised recently that two speakers have been scheduled to talk at the house next week.

On Tuesday, November 19, a Mrs. Eicholz will relate to senior citizens her experiences traveling in the Holy Land. Mrs. Eicholz is from New Albany, the site director stated.

The second speaker will be (Dutch) Struck from Hanover College in Hanover. Mr. Struck, she said, has not advised what the subject of his talk will be on November 21 but "he always keeps us laughing," she related.

A bingo party is planned for Wednesday, November 20, and the regular devotions service on Friday featuring Father Stan Herber from the American Martyrs Church in Scottsburg will be held.

All the programs will begin around 1:30 p.m., Mrs. Linzay stated.

The scheduled guests will also be welcome to partake of meals planned for the week of November 18 through 22. Dinners will include: MONDAY: Fried chicken, cooked cabbage, mixed vegetables, white bread, and apricots; TUESDAY: Pork Roast with gravy, sauer kraut, mashed potatoes, corn bread, and chocolate pudding; WEDNESDAY: Beef and vegetable stew, baked apples, white bread, and sherbet; THURSDAY: Turkey, sweet potatoes, orange-cranberry salad, dressing, and pumpkin pie; and FRIDAY: Fried fish, with tartar sauce, broccoli, buttered corn, corn bread, and a cup cake.

Persons interested in attending the Title VII nutrition program at the Senior House, located at 183 South Second St. in Scottsburg, should contact Mrs. Linzay at 752-4134 for reservations. Participants are asked to pay only according to their abilities and must be over sixty years old.

Senior house hours are from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Blood Pressure Clinic Scheduled Tuesday

The Scott County Senior House will be the site of the next senior citizens' blood pressure screening clinic, scheduled for Tuesday, December 2, it was announced this week.

A spokeswoman for the Scottsburg-based center stated that any senior citizen over age 60 is welcome to come to the center between the hours of 12:30 p.m. and 3:00 p.m. that afternoon and have their blood pressure checked free of charge.

Transportation and meal reservations for that day may be made in advance by calling the Senior House at 752-4134, advised the spokeswoman.

The center is located at 183 South Second Street in Scottsburg.

Volunteer nurses and medical technicians from Ross Medi-Van Services Inc. will be on hand to check participants in the program.

The event is co-sponsored by the Title VII Nutrition Program and the Scott County Heart Association.

The Progress Examiner, Orleans, Indiana, Thursday, April 25, 1974

Senior Citizens To Tour Festival

Over 100 senior citizens from Harrison, Scott, Clark and Floyd Counties will be guests in Orleans Saturday attending dogwood festival activities. Mrs. Louis Lukemeier, the former Mary Sleight of Orleans, has planned the senior ciitizen excursion.

Mrs. Lukemeier is director of the Title VII Nutritional program for the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc. The program, originating in New Albany, provides free hot nutritional lunches for senior citizens in the four county area. The hot meal program began in Oct., 1973 and serves senior citizens at designated stations throughout the counties. Meals on Wheels, a facet of the nutritional meal program delivers noon lunches to persons who are unable to come to the serving centers.

Mrs. Lukemeier has invited any senior citizen in the program to visit her hometown's annual festival. They will travel by bus to Spring Mill State Park to tour the old village and enjoy a picnic lunch. Arrving in Orleans in the afternoon, members of the group will be visiting the antique display, bazaar booths and the art show. Following the parade, the group will return home.

Mrs. Lukemeier is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sleight, Orleans.

Bravo! for the Louisville Ballet season premiere

By JEAN DIETRICH
Courier-Journal Critic

The Louisville Ballet's opening of the season last night at the Macauley was stamped with the hallmark of the British Sadler's Wells ballet company, brought by the new British artistic directors, Richard Munro and his wife, Cristina Stirling.

What a difference it makes! And what an event to be relished by lovers of classical ballet, who lamentably were conspicuously absent, since the Macauley was only about half-filled.

Those of us who were there were dazzingly introduced to Munro and Miss Stirling as dancers in the Pas de Deux from "Le Corsaire." In a vigorous and thrilling display Munro commanded the stage in flights across it — a command that was shortly snatched from him by Miss Stirling whirling on her toes.

The program opened with that all time favorite, Chopin's "Les Sylphides." While it began shakily, perhaps due to first-night jitters, it was certainly retrieved immeasurably as it progressed. And the Pas de Deux with Karen Connelly and Vincent Falardo was impressive.

In "Pas de Quatre," a dance first performed in the 1840's by four of Europe's leading ballerinas, Louisville ballet members Judy Eckman, Anabel Ishkanian, Theresa Mudd and Lori Massie distinguished themselves. This competition, in which each member of the quartet displays her skills, shines with wit. And it was staged with insoucience — a planted member of the audience throwing roses on the stage for the girls to fight over. Winner of the competition? I'm almost afraid to risk my life making a judgment among the promising and talented four. But Miss Ishkanian particularly caught my eye as an assured dancer with a mischievous grasp of her role.

One of the more encouraging aspects of last night's performance was the strength and the number of the men in the company. Focus was on them particularly in "Brahm's Fantasie," a light-hearted celebration of young love danced by four couples and choreographed by Munro. Pianist Doris Keyes beautifully accompanied the eight as they executed a series of lifts, leaps and elevations with a splendid professionalism. It's a ballet filled with arresting intricacies which prove a dancers metal and makes you eager to see more of Munro's choreography.

The "Grand Pas des Fiancees" from Tchaikovsky's "Swan Lake," which closed the program, was a glowing showcase for Munro, as the Prince, Miss Stirling as the Black Swan, and the princesses from various countries who are wooing him. Again Munro and Miss Stirling were superb. Among the princesses Sherry Gilpin was outstanding. Miss Gilpin's a lovely blond who has grown up in the Louisville company — and grown commandingly tall. She also has a rare quality of theatrical presence. Will it lead her one day, I wonder, away from ballet and into the musical theater?

It was a night to welcome and hail Munro and Miss Stirling for their artistry and for their accomplishments with the Louisville company. Members of the ballet, many of them extremely young, danced with precision that makes one eager for their next appearance.

They left us feeling, you might say, very much on our toes.

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Mrs. Thelma Sweeney, right, a member of the Charlestown Aged and Aging Program, received first place honors in a baking contest conducted in New Albany. Pictured with Mrs. Sweeney is Jane Roberts, program worker.

Senior Meals Are Scheduled

Senior citizens can look forward to a number of delicious, well-balanced meals served at the Scott County Senior House in Scottsburg during the week of November 10 through 14.

All meals are prepared by Red's Smorgasbord and then transported to the Senior House at 183 South Second Street.

Served buffet-style, the meals attract an average of 25 persons a day over the age of 60.

All are planned and served under the Title VII Nutrition Program which is in turn funded by the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, headquartered in New Albany.

Scheduled for the coming week are the following menus, including for MONDAY: Beef, noodle, and cheese casserole, pineapple chunks, brussel sprouts, white bread, and ice cream; TUESDAY: Fried chicken livers with mushroom gravy, baked potato with sour cream, sliced carrots, rye bread, orange juice, and cheese slices; WEDNESDAY: Roast beef slices, baked candied apples, spinach, white bread, and coconut cream pie; THURSDAY: Sauteed liver with gravy, mashed potatoes, tossed salad with dressing, corn bread, and chocolate pudding; and FRIDAY: Macaroni and cheese, green beans, cole slaw, rye bread, spice cake, and cheese and crackers.

Ice cold containers of milk top off all meals, it was noted.

Reservations should be called in to the Senior House before 2:30 p.m. the previous day, advised a spokeswoman.

The center may be reached by calling 752-4134 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. every weekday.

Ballet news: Good and not-very-good

a review

By F. W. WOOLSEY
Louisville Times Critic

First, the good news: In Richard Munro and Cristina Stirling Munro, the Louisville Ballet Company has new artistic directors who are dancers with style, as witness the moments they were onstage last night at the Macauley Theatre.

It was the opening performance of the season for the company and the Munros danced in two numbers.

Next, the not-very-good news: The company needs to work hard before it is capable of the kind of dancing asked of it last night.

To be charitable, let us say that "Les Sylphides" was on the program as the opening number and move on from there.

The Munros appeared in the duet from "Le Corsaire" and things perked up. Cristina Munro moves about the stage with authority. She is on the tallish side and slim and dances in an incisive, commanding way.

Munro has youthful good looks and although he attempted nothing that could be called bravura last night he left the impression of strength in reserve.

Perhaps his most interesting contribution to the evening was the choreography for a big cast of young dancers who moved in varying combinations through nine episodes to music drawn from Brahms' shorter pieces for the piano.

"Brahms Fantasie" as we saw it last night was a challenging failure. Some of the young people in the cast were almost ready to make something quite special of this piece and I felt keenly that they and the dance should have another chance at some future date.

The music itself is absolutely irresistible, by turns lilting, sad, introspective, ebullient. In short, just right for the shifting moods of youth. Munro has fitted to it some joyful and inventive dancing that one would dearly like to see again, done perfectly.

When that day comes I hope Doris Keyes will be at the keyboard as she was last night, shaping these Brahms pieces with loving care.

The rest of last night's performance by the Louisville Ballet consisted of a scene from "Swan Lake" and that familiar Pas de Quatre that purports to show Marie Taglioni, Fanny Cerito, Lucile Grahn, and Carlotta Grisi, all celebrated dancers of the 1840s, on one London stage. It is done broadly and for laughs now and last night's staging is credited to the Munros.

Except for the Brahms music, the accompaniment for the other ballets danced last night was recorded and the quality of the recordings was variable.

In the "Swan Lake" excerpt, Cristina Munro danced Princess Odile, with appropriate glitter and a sorceress's stare in her eyes. The scene was the presentation of princesses to Siegfried, danced by Munro. The others in the cast were Frances Penton, Donna Hoess, Kathy Terry, Sherry Gilpin, and Janet Schaffner.

Last night's performance was presented by the Kentucky Dance Council.

Staff Photo by Henry Hamman

Jeffersonville's Gilt Edge Baptist Church served as a food center in the nutrition program yesterday.

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First-day efforts pleasing

Program opens to provide meals for the aged in three counties

By HENRY HAMMAN
Courier-Journal & Times Staff Writer

A three-county program aimed at improving nutrition among elderly people got under way yesterday, and while there were some opening-day hitches, officials of the sponsoring agency said they were pleased with results.

The program, sponsored by the South Central Council on the Aging and the Aged, provides a hot noon meal to people aged 60 and over who are unable to feed themselves properly.

The meals are provided at six different locations in Clark, Floyd and Harrison counties.

Financing for the program is supplied by a $112,320 federal grant from the Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

The local program is one of the first in Indiana to start operation.

Mary Lukemeier, the program's nutrition director, said today she is pleased with yesterday's start.

"For the first day, it went beautifully," she said.

She estimated that from 160 to 180 meals were served in the six meal centers. Additionally, about 30 meals were delivered to persons who are unable to travel to the centers.

Within three months, the program has a goal of serving 288 meals daily, with about 10 per cent of the total delivered to homes.

Mrs. Lukemeier said she anticipates no problems in reaching, and possibly exceeding the goal.

She said within the next week she hopes to begin social programs in conjunction with the meals, as well as providing weekly trips to grocery stores for particpants.

Mrs. Lukemeier said there were some minor problems with the first day's operation, including a mixup at one meal center about the cost of the meals.

There are no financial requirements for participation in the program, but participants who can do so are asked to contribute to the cost of the meals.

Volunteer drivers are used to transport participants to the meal centers. Thelma Bertrand, council director, said about 10 volunteers aided in transportation yesterday.

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NEW HOT MEAL PROGRAM HITS THE SPOT....

HOT MEAL PROGRAM . . . . The hospitality Center at Charlestown Community Center has successfully completed their first exciting week of serving hot nutritious meals and social services to persons 60 years old and older. This is not a poverty program but rather an enrichment program for people 60 and older. People in all income brackets are encouraged to come and enjoy the fellowship of eating together and the other supporting services. Lancaster Catering Service is charging $1.15 for each meal; however the cost to the recipients is determined by their ability to pay. They may pay all, any part of the $1.15, or none, if they are unable to do so. The income received for meals will be used to increase the number of recipients that can be served. For example, for every two people who pay, another person can be added to the program. Each recipient will be given envelopes in which to put the amount they can afford to pay. A schedule of social activities will be planned from ideas submitted by the participating recipients. Included in the service will be trips to groceries, shopping centers and points of interest. Entertainment and crafts will be provided. One paid Hospitality Hostess will coordinate all activities, but the participants will plan their own programs. Anyone 60 years old or older who would like to join in the fellowship of eating with friends and others may call the Hospitality Hostess or the community center before 12 NOON the day before they wish to be served. The Hospitality Hostess for the community center (256-3261) is Mrs. Kathy Calhoun (256-5423). Transportation will be provided to and from the meal sites whenever necessary. Church Women United have volunteered to assist in the transportation as well as churches through donation of the use of their busses. These churches are Charlestown Church of God, First Baptist Church, Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church, North Charlestown Church of God and the First Christian Church. Pleasant Grove United Methodist Church is assisting by providing coffee, an item not provided in the budget. Shown above enjoying their lunch are L.B. Christian, Leonard Story, Katie Story, Mayor John K. Bowen, a guest at the luncheon. Bessie Stricker, Jerry Ferrell, and Vadia Bolley. Myrtle Blanchard, and Earl Blanchard. An unidentified volunteer worker is pictured in the background. Francis Quinn, Chairman of Area 2 Church Women United in Indiana is Chairman of Volunteer Services for the Title VII Nutrition Program. Those wishing to volunteer as driver or to assist in serving at the sites are requested to call Mrs. Quinn (945-7566) or Ruth Peake (256-2295), Robert Robinson (256-5205) or Dr. Galen Hover (256-5182).

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Pumpkin Baking Contest Is Open To All Saturday

Saturday, Oct. 9, is the day for the annual Harvest Homecoming Pumpkin Baking Contest, according to Mary Lukemeier, contest chairman.

The contest, open to all age groups, is at 11 a.m. at McDonald Sewing Center, 218 Pearl St., New Albany.

Entrants may bake in any of four categories: pies, cakes, breads, and cookies.

To enter, bring the baked item in a disposable container covered with plastic wrap to McDonald's by 10:30 a.m. the day of the contest. Include a copy of the recipe and name, address and telephone number. Each recipe must include pumpkin as an ingredient.

Trophies in the Pumpking Baking Contest will be presented Sunday, Oct. 10 at 3:30 p.m. at the American Bank Lot, corner of Spring and Pearl Streets.

Winning recipes will be published in The Tribune.

Contestants may register in advance at the Harvest Homecoming Office or may simply bring their baked goods to the McDonald Sewing Center the day of the contest.

1975 Harvest Homecoming Prize Winning Pumpkin Recipes are now available in an attractive cookbook and may be purchased at the Title VII Nutirtion Office, 317 E. 5th St., or at the Senior Center Booth during the Harvest Homecoming celebration. Cost of the cookbooks is 25 cents.

Additional information on the Pumpkin Baking Contest may be obtained by contacting Mary Lukemeier (948-8873).

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She's the 'walkingest'

Irene Hoyer does miles every day, showing gratitude and going places

By JUDY ROSENFIELD
Louisville Times Staff Writer

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No magic potions or wonder drugs keep 77-year-old Irene Hoyer going.

Her feet do.

Irene Hoyer is a walker.

Not a casual ambler or relaxed stroller, but a serious walker. A mile every 8 or 10 minutes. Ten, 15, 20 miles each day.

Ask her why and she replies, "I like to walk . . . I can have aches and pains and if I walk 3 or 4 miles, they're gone . . . I walk to show God my appreciation for being strong enough to be so active."

So, rain or shine, Mrs. Hoyer packs her flowered plastic satchel with tissues and sunglasses and things and takes off. Sometimes, she'll head down Dixie Highway from her Shively apartment. Other days, she'll trot down Taylor Boulevard to Iroquois Park. On days when she bowls with Senior House, she's likely to tramp home from Mid City Mall on Bardstown Road in the Highlands — an 11-mile hike.

Just about always, you'll find her walking alone, a spry, 4-foot-10 figure with a freckled, sun-tanned face peaked with a cap of white hair.

"You can't get anybody to get out and walk with you," she explained. "Everybody's got a car."

She doesn't chart her path in advance. "First I go one way and then another. I change my route 'most every day."

And what attracts her to a street isn't nice scenery or houses or shops to walk by. "Sidewalks," she said matter-of-factly, "are the main thing."

Since there just aren't many serious walkers these days—especially over 75 years old— Mrs. Hoyer has become something of a celebrity.

"I have people passing in their cars, blowing their horns and waving who say,

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Senior Citizens Center to be dedicated

Maurice Endwright, executive director of Indiana Commission on Aging, will be the special guest of the new Harrison County Senior Citizen Center dedication on November 21st.

The new center at 124 S. Mulberry will be officially dedicated at 2 p.m. on that date.

Made possible by Joe and Mae Rhoads, the new Center will be the first such development in Harrison County.

Joe Stepro, also of Corydon, will supervise the Center that will eventually house work rooms for crafts, games, and Senior Citizen entertainment.

Also to be located in the Center are the Title VII Nutrition Program and the RSVP program.

Mr. Rhoads told The Press that first will come the dedication of the Center and then when all facilities are located, there will be an Open House.

Also on the grounds of the Center is a meeting room that is being made available for various other Civic and Fraternal group meetings.

A group of volunteer workmen under the direction of Mr. Stepro have been working long hours to get the Center ready for the November 21st opening day.

Thelma Bertrand, Executive Director of the South Central Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc., Area 14, told The Press that along with Mr. Endwright, the Center has extended invitations to State and Federal Congressmen and Senators and to Governor Otis Bowen.

She noted that at the recent Governors' Conference at Purdue, Harrison County was singled out by Governor Bowen as "setting an example for the entire State of Indiana."

THREE WOMEN who have made the Title VII nutrition program for the elderly a success have refreshments after the dedication program. From left they are Mrs. Edmund F. Schneider, Mrs. Edith Miller and Mrs. Jewell Conrad. The hot lunch program will move from the Corydon Christian Church to the new center on Nov. 30.

Wednesday, Nov. 12, 1975, THE CORYDON DEMOCRAT, Corydon, Ind.

Nutrition newsletter offered by extension to senior citizens

Organized senior citizen groups are invited to take advantage of a monthly nutrition newsletter offered by the Cooperative Extension Service.

The newsletter will begin Dec. 1 and offer special information beneficial to the senior citizens. For example, the newsletter will discuss 1. How eating well can make you feel better. 2. How to save money at the grocery store. 3. Meal ideas for one or two, as well as other interesting and useful information.

If your group is interested in receiving the letter, at no charge, send the name and mailing address of group to Sunnye Carroll, extension agent, 127 Federal Building, New Albany, Ind. 47150 or call 283-1142.

Senior citizens plan open house at center

The Harrison County Senior Citizens Center will hold an open house at 123 South Mulberry St. on Nov. 22, from 1 to 4 p. m. The public of any age is invited. There will be a program, followed by tours and refreshments.

"Come and see what we are doing for senior citizens and the community. You will be glad you did," stated Joe Stepro, president of Harrison County Senior Citizens Center.

Senior Queens at State Fair

THE GIVEAWAY, THURSDAY, AUG. 22, 1974

Several area Senior Citizens attended the State Senior Queen Contest held Aug. 15 in Indianapolis.

Bessie Stricker, Area 14 Senior Queen of Charlestown, competed in the contest. Other county Senior Queens who attended the contest included Flora Brown, Floyd county; Edith Miller, Harrison county, and Edna Stace, Scott county.

Thelma Bertrand, executive director of the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging served as State Chairman for the first State Senior Queen Contest.

SMILE, IT'S CONTAGIOUS!

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Charitable

Corydon man giving away his, deceased wife's savings – $200,000

By JOE HOLWAGER
Courier-Journal Staff Writer

CORYDON, Ind.—Every community ought to have a Joe Rhoads.

Rhoads, 79, is in the process of giving his life savings and that of his deceased wife, May,—about $200,000—to charitable purposes here.

The only guideline for distribution of the money is that it be used to assist the young and the elderly.

Of his efforts, Rhoads simply says: "What I am trying to do is be an example."

The first concrete evidence of his giving is taking shape in the form of a senior citizens' center due to be opened Nov. 21.

A two-story house near downtown Corydon is being remodeled for this purpose and will be named the Harrison County Senior Citizens Center.

The center will become a meal site for the federally funded Title VII nutrition program for the elderly. Corydon-area residents now participating in the program meet for lunch five times a week at the Christian Church.

The new center also will contain a lounge area for television viewing and other activities. There are plans to build a woodworking shop and possibly a sewing center adjoining the back of the building.

On the rear of the lot, a rectangular, concrete block building is being remodeled for use as a meeting place for area civic and fraternal organizations.

Rhoads already has spent $45,000 for the purchase and improvement of the property, according to Joe Stepro, a retired Corydon man whom Rhoads tapped to attend to practical matters.

Most of Rhoads' money will be channeled through a nonprofit foundation established earlier this year—the May and Joe Rhoads Memorial Fund, Inc. A separate foundation — the Harrison County Senior Citizens Center, Inc.—is being formed to manage the new center.

Stepro said the foundation formed to manage the center will be endowed with about $55,000. Revenue from the investment of the endowment will be used to maintain the center buildings.

The center will be dedicated to the memory of May Frank Rhoads, who died on Thanksgiving Day last year—nearly 15 months after the couple came to Corydon to live out the remainder of their lives.

They came to Corydon after spending 34 years in Washington, D.C., where Rhoads was employed by the U.S. Department of Commerce for 21 of those years.

Mrs. Rhoads was a Harrison County native who once taught school in Corydon, and in later years was known to the community through the weekly column, "Round and About Washington," she wrote for The Corydon Democrat.

Staff Photo by Joe Holwager

JOE RHOADS, 79, of Corydon, said it's not just his and his deceased wife's money he's giving —"We giving a slice of our lives."

Mrs. Rhoads' health began declining after she suffered a heart attack in 1953, and she was bedridden when they came to Corydon in August 1972. The couple never had any children.

"This money, you see, is really the distribution of my estate and her estate," Rhoads said last week in an interview.

Before dying, May Frank Rhoads instructed her husband to keep busy after her death and be of some service to the community.

A man with amazing energy for his age, Rhoads talks of the senior citizens center project as the first of several he has in mind to benefit the Corydon community.

"We're not going to stop here. We're going to go on," he said.

Although the senior citizens' center is being developed entirely with his money, Rhoads indicated that he will seek community support for future projects while providing seed money from his funds. Matching funds from government agencies and nonprofit foundations also will be sought, where appropriate.

None of the future projects has been defined yet, but Rhoads mentioned a civic auditorium and public swimming pool as community needs that might be explored.

So far, the Corydon community appears to have reacted with only mild interest to Rhoads' philanthropy. But some in town believe the opening of the senior center may generate some enthusiasm and excitement about what is happening.

One of those is Robert O'Bannon, a former state senator and retired publisher of The Corydon Democrat and Mrs. Rhoads' cousin.

"I think people still take a Missourian attitude of 'show me,'" O'Bannon said.

"As a whole, we think that it (Rhoads' philanthropic plans) will be a fine thing for the community," O'Bannon said.

He added that what Rhoads is doing could "become a perpetuating thing in the community."

Nothing could please Rhoads more.

Rhoads, the son of a Montana cattle-brand inspector, has led a frugal, hard working life.

In St. Paul, Minn., where he spent most of his youth, Rhoads worked cleaning out stalls at the stockyards while attending Macalester College, where he earned a bachelor's degree in social science and mathematics.

He later received a master's degree in agri-business from the University of Minnesota, only to find he couldn't get a job in that field and had to settle for a timekeeper's positon at a packing house.

In 1920 he took a teaching position in Rochester, Minn., that paid $1,800 a year. His work teaching senior high school and junior college launched an association with the academic life that lasted 18 years.

Later, he moved on to Northern State Teachers College, Aberdeen, S.D., and to the University of Oklahoma, where he met his wife, May, who was a journalism instructor there.

Rhoads said they delayed marrying for five years, because they were both devoting much of their financial resources to supporting other members of their families.

In the meantime, he studied summers at the University of Iowa, and in 1931 received a doctorate degree in business administration. From 1932 to 1938 he directed the Department of Business Administration at the University of Omaha in Nebraska.

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Conference focuses on problem of medical care for the elderly

By SANDRA EARLEY MARSH
Louisville Times Staff Writer

Medical-care problems of the elderly dominated a seminar on aging yesterday in Jeffersonville as a number of senior citizens said they are having difficulty finding doctors who will treat older patients.

As a result of the discussion, the seminar recommended that the State Commission on the Aging and Aged investigate charges that doctors refuse to treat elderly patients because of the requirement to fill out medicare and Medicaid forms for payment.

The recommendation was the only one adopted by the seminar which was attended by about 20 senior citizens and a dozen incumbent state and national elected officials, their challengers, and representatives of area agencies serving senior citizens.

This seminar was the third of 11 to be held in the state's congressional districts. Jeffersonville is in the 9th District. The seminars are the result of a recommendation from a May meeting of the state commission. The purpose of the meetings is to exchange information and discuss problems of the elderly.

Mrs. Georgia Bushau, of Jeffersonville, focused the seminar's attention on the difficulty senior citizens have in finding a doctor.

She described her efforts to find a doctor after her family doctor died. She told of being refused an appointment when a doctor's staff member found she was over age 60.

Mrs. Catherine B. Richardson, 78, of Jeffersonville, one of the seminar's panel members, said "Letters (from doctors) have been circulated in this community about this. They have said something like, 'I will treat you free but I will not fill out forms for medicare. The doctors' excuse is that they don't want to fool with the red tape," she said.

Staff Photo by Sandra Earley Marsh

Mrs. Catherine Richardson, 78, has her say at the aging conference.

"Suffice it to say medicare in general needs to be restudied and we need to have better relations with doctors," Mrs. Richardson said.

After other senior citizens commented on similar medical-care problems, David McFall, administrative assistant to 9th Dist. U.S. Rep. Lee H. Hamilton, said he has heard similar complaints throughout the 9th District.

"It's hard to pass a law just to make doctors treat a certain group of people. Our frustration is (over) what you do about this problem," he said.

During a formal talk at the beginning of the seminar, Mrs. Richardson focused on the problems of senior citizens living on fixed incomes, a group she called "the people with too much, but too little."

She said these elderly people are often ineligible for federal housing or medical-care programs because their incomes are too high, but their incomes are not enough for them to live comfortably.

"We need to study this thing of eligibility — what we've got is good, but we need more," she said.

Political candidates present at the seminar spoke during its opening segment. Many said they thought property-tax relief is needed for senior citizens.

Maurice McDaniel, of New Albany, a lawyer and Republican state representative from the 68th District, told the conference about an elderly client whose property-tax bill several years ago was $231 a year. "But by 1972, it was $1,300 and about all he could do was sell his property, rent a little apartment, and try to live on what he got for his land," McDaniel said.

Robert McIntosh, of Jeffersonville, Democratic candidate for the 67th District seat in the state House of Representatives, said more property tax relief is needed.

"Much of the property tax goes to education and senior citizens don't have children in the schools. They are paying for other people's children," he said.

McIntosh's opponent, incumbent state Rep. Richard R. Wathen, of Jeffersonville, said the last session of the General Assembly removed the state sales tax from grocery store food and "that was a good thing." He also said the next session will consider a state program which would provide free medicine to tuberculosis patients.

Other candidates and incumbents attending the seminar were: Delson Cox Jr., Democratic candidate for 9th District U.S. representative; District 46 state Sen. Frank O'Bannon, D-Corydon; Dale W. Mitsch, of Georgetown, Republican candidate for 46th District state senator; and Merwyn T. Fisher of Pekin, Democratic candidate for 64th District state representative.

Wednesday, November 19, 1975

CD Committee Decides To Aid Senior Housing

Scottsburg's Community Development Committee (CDC) voted unanimously Wednesday evening to apply for federal funds to build sidewalks, curbs, and gutters for the proposed senior housing project on the community's north side.

The decision to apply for funds in connection with the senior housing project was reached after a lengthy discussion which included an explanation by Administrative Resources administation (ARa) staff member Robert Carter as to why Scottsburg did not receive funds under the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 this year.

"Using last year's standards that each of the 129 applications in Indiana were judged by, there was no way Scottsburg could have been funded. You simply have too many middle-class people and not enough poor people," Carter remarked.

He added that in each category of poverty and substandard housing based on 1970 census figures, the town of Austin "got a perfect score. There was no way Austin wasn't going to be funded," he said.

This coming year, however, Scottsburg's possibilities of receiving money is "slightly brighter," Carter went on.

He explained that the level of funding in Indiana has risen in 1976 from $4.5 million to $7.03 million. He also said that every "candidate" community that was successful in getting funding this year will now have one point deducted from their total as well as having to submit performance reports on their funded projects.

Other ground rules have been laid out by the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) which is administering the CD funds in Indiana, Carter went on.

Communities with populations of 15,000 or over may ask for up to $300,000, he said. Communities having populations of 10,000 plus may ask for $200,000. In the third category, communities having 5,000 plus persons have a "request ceiling" of $100,000.

Carter asked the gathering for ideas on community development projects, adding beforehand, "If you go back to your original idea of a youth-oriented community center, I'm afraid you won't be getting any funds again this year."

(The Scottsburg CDC originally requested a three-stage community center earlier this year, after holding a public hearing for "community in-put" in selecting a suitable project for the community. Scottsburg's request for $81,400 to build the first stage, a youth center, and make street improvements near Beechwood Park, the proposed site of the center, was turned down by HUD late in July.)

It was then suggested by city councilman Don Collins that a sidewalk four feet wide be constructed from the corner of Main and Owen streets to the downtown area for the senior housing project.

"We can't get money for that type of project under Farmers Home Administration (which is funding the senior housing project). We might be able to this way," Collins remarked.

Additionally, Mayor Blake Burns pointed out that existing water lines will have to be extended to the proposed site and curbs and guttering will be needed in that area.

Also suggested as a possible project was the purchasing of furniture for the housing project's senior center.

Carter stated that this particular suggestion was "borderline" and would have to be investigated further.

"Frankly, you stand a lot better chance going with a project of this type (improving a senior housing site) than with a regular community center," the ARa staff member told the gathering.

Carter noted that the pre-application for CD funds is due December 15 to HUD offices in Indianapolis. March 15 is a "possible" deadline for the community's final application, he said.

A public hearing on the 1976 pre-application was set for 7:30 p.m. Monday, December 8 at the Scottsburg City Hall by the committee.

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Liked Festival

Dear Editor:

The Harvest Homecoming this year was a very delightful event, bringing visitors from other cities, and best of all, bringing the citizens of New Albany into a close relationship of working together in wonderful harmony.

Much could be said concerning the many hours of hard work and effort spent in planning this wonderful affair, and we offer one expressive and beautiful word "thanks."

There is a request we, the people of New Albany, would like to make of the Harvest Homecoming Committee, i.e., that they use their influence in the future to prevent alcoholic beverages, such as beer, wine, or whiskey (and gambling) from being a part of this family event. We feel it is necessary to do everything possible to protect our youth and the American home. As we all know, one Indiana town had to discontinue its festivities because of the destruction caused by alcoholic beveraes.

Many of our New Albany churches participate in the Harvest Homecoming, and their support is needed, but by the same token, they also need the cooperation of this committee to achieve success for October 1975. The singing of the Graceland Baptist Cuhrch choir was a spiritual inspiration in the Saturday evening program, and we appreciate your choice of this fine choir.

Thank you in advance for your kind cooperation. May God bless you all.

Mrs. John L. (Kathryn) Eicholz,
Chairman, World Day of Prayer
Church Women United of New Albany

The Site Directors of the Title VII Nutrition Program held a meeting in Charlestown. Pictured from left, first row, are Mary Lukemeier, project director, Caroline Wells, Jeffersonville, Mary Carmickle, New Albany and Jane Roberts, Charlestown; second row, Jewell Conrad, Corydon, Esther Vigar, New Albany and Esther Newkirk, New Albany; third row, Elva Sanders, Corydon and Dorothey Linzay, Scottsburg; fourth row, Phyllis Abernathy, Jeffersonville, LaNora Resch, Jeffersonville and Jean Frickhoeffer, Charlestown.

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The Aged and Aging Program of Charlestown held a party honoring members v celebrated birthdays during the month of October. Those honored, pictured from left, were E Fouse, Etta Craig and Ada Egan.

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The Chronicle Weekender, Scottsburg, IN

Wallpapering To Start At Senior House

Wall-papering of several rooms at the Scott County Senior House is scheduled to begin Tuesday next week, stated Site Director Dorothy Linzay recently.

A co-coordinator of Centers and Transportation for the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Hal Simmonds of Jeffersonville, will be bringing a woman wallpaperer who will attempt to finish the job by Wednesday, Mrs. Linzay said.

Other activities planned for next week at the house include a bingo session on Wednesday afternoon, and Thursday, Area Extension Agent-Youth Judy Scott will bring Mrs. Fay Sweeny to the center. Mrs. Sweeny will conduct classes in making Christmas decorations and other crafts. The session will start at approximately 12:30 p.m., Mrs. Linzay advised.

Devotions will be conducted by Reverend David Simpson of the Austin Church of God Friday afternoon, the site director said.

Projected menus for next week include MONDAY: Breaded veal cutlet, whole kernel corn, broccoli, white bread, and apricots; TUESDAY: Fried chicken, German potato salad, spinach, rye bread, and apple pie; WEDNESDAY: Salisbury steak, peas, lettuce and tomato salad with dressing, white bread, and orange sherbet; THURSDAY: Liver with onion gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, whole wheat bread, and pineapple chunks; and FRIDAY: Tuna casserole, cole slaw, lima beans, corn bread, and a brownie.

Persons over 60 years of age may participate in the Title VII Nutrition program, advised Mrs. Linzay, and persons are asked to pay only according to their abilities.

The house, open from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, is located at 183 South Second Street in Scottsburg.

Attendance Reaches An All-Time High Of 199

Attendance reached an all-time high last week at the Scott County Senior House in Scottsburg, revealed Site Director Dorothy Linzay.

Persons attending the Title VII Nutrition programs at the center numbered 199 for the week of November 18 through 22, she said, adding that the rise in attendance reflects more community interest in the house as well as the variety of programs recently presented there.

"We have one gentleman that is very interested in startng a rhythm band here at the house," said Mrs. Linzay.

Other programs offered have included bingo sessions, talks by various speakers, and a weekly devotions program sponsored by the Scott County Ministerial Association.

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Floral Centerpiece--compliments of Old Capital Bank

Hostesses

Jewell Conrad, Title VII Site Director

Ruth Miller, Harrison County Senior Queen

Joy Schneider, Co-ordinator of Decorations

Charlotte Wiseman, Volunteer

Refreshments

Thelma Bertrand

Mary Lukemeier

Jackie Cox

Registration:

Evelyn Utley)

Wanda Whitaker) Office Staff

Anita Whisman)

PROGRAM

1:00 P.M.	Corydon High School Freshman Band	
	Suzanne Banister, Band Director	
2:00 P.M.	Ribbon Cutting Ceremony	
	Mr. Joe Rhoads & Judge [illegible] Miller	
[illegible] P.M.	Invocation--Rev. John Taylor, Christian Church	
2:25 P.M.	Introductions:	
Mr. Joe Stepro	Board of Directors, Harrison County Sr. Citizens Center	
Thelma Bertrand, Executive Director	Board of Directors & Advisory Board, South Central Indiana Council for the Aging & Aged Inc. (Area 14)	
Mary Lukemeier, Title VII Director	Project Council Title VII Nutrition Program	
Jackie Cox, RSVP Director	Advisory Board Retired Senior Volunteer Program	
Hal Simmonds, Co-ordinator	Transportation & Centers	
Bob Maze, Field Rep.	State Commission on Aging and Aged.	
Jewell Conrad, Site Director	Title VII Nutrition Program	

2:45 P.M. Presentation of plaques to Mr. Rhoads from the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging & Aged

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Harvest Homecoming Will Conclude

By JACK POWERS

New Albany's 1974 Harvest Homecoming was to come to a successful end today.

After three days and nights of excitment and unparalleled crowds, in fine autumnal weather the gala events sign off with today's concluding activities, some of which take on a religious tone. There will be the Hymn Sing by choirs and other groups from area churches at noon, on the stage of the American Bank lot at Pearl and Spring Streets.

At that same time, bus tours will start at the Robert E. Lee Inn. At 3 p.m. there will be the awarding of trophies, awards and booth prizes, followed by closing ceremonies on the bank lot.

The tempo of the occasion reached a pitch throughout Saturday, surging crowds promenading in the heart of the Downtown, the booths going full swing, the candidates passing out cards, and the youngsters revelling in the color and to the music of the rides.

LIKE IT FINE

The day's end came Saturday night with the Costume Ball at the Robert E. Lee.

Nearly everyone interviewed said they felt the Harvest Homecoming of 1974 was "great", that they enjoyed it.

Some offered constructive criticism. Mary Townsend, former Floyd County GOP chairwoman, said "I think it was just fine. There is one suggestion, however, that I would offer. That's about the parade of Thursday night. There was too much spacing between the units. They should have been closer together, but were strewn out."

Mrs. Fred Meyer, of 1621 Ekin Ave., seemed to be enjoying herself in the crowd. "I'm here because I think it's fine, especially for the kids."

Mrs. Owen White, who lives at 2711 W. Market St., Louisville said she was attending her first of the festivals, bringing her children along. "Hope to be back next year," she said.

OTHERS SAY

Alice Hublet of New Albany, said "she likes it" and thinks they have a good crowd this year.

Relma Dixon, New Albany, "it's just great, and I believe it's bigger than it has ever been. Vicki Dixon of New Albany said "I think it's fantastic."

Cathy Hock of New Albany said "I think its just great. I think they ought to have more wheels to spin though."

Bob Sabrie of Louisville, Ky., "I think everybody ought to have something like this in their community."

He liked it very much.

Bruce Richards, a new resident of New Albany, said he really enjoys it.

Helen Lamb of Floyds Knobs, said she "really likes it. She was a winner of a prize at Rays Jewelry and she enjoys shopping through the stores, meeting people she hasn't seen for a while, and enjoys looking at all the booths.

Randa Speigelholder, of New Albany said "I think the parade had a lot of room for improvement and should be on a different night, preferably a Saturday or Sunday afternoon when it won't get dark.

Susie Lopp of New Albany says she thinks this is a great way to celebrate Autumn.

ABOUT THE PARADE

Te expressions about the lag in the parade seemed to have been general.

Also, some pointed out that under the time schedule of this

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and other years, "the parade starts in the daylight and ends in darkness."

"Too bad," they add, "that this happens."

Except for the festival features of the Harvest Homecoming that enlivened the Downtown with large crowds, Pearl Street merchants said its benefits to their stores were negative, in fact disadvantageous.

Intially, the event was envisioned as a boon to the mercantile sector, but that has not been the case, from the opinion reflected by the store heads, and expressed by S. T. Fish, the chairman of the board of the S. W. Newburger Co., operator's of New Albany's largest Pearl Street store, the White House.

"I'm certainly not against festivals of this kind," he said, "but I feel it should be held somewhere else, away from Pearl Street."

JUDGING HELD

Judging in several categories was conducted Saturday.

There were 26 entries in the Pumpkin Baking contest, conducted at McDonald Sewing Center. Under the classification of Pumpkin Bread, the first prize was won by the youngest contestant of all, nine-year-old Peggy Troscin. Second prize in this class went to Edith Hinkel, and third, Linda Regneri.

Other "punkin" winners with their baking included:

Pumpkin pie — Emma Ford, first; Judy Greer, second, and Phyllis Sarles, third. Pumpkin cake — Thelma Sweeney, first; Mrs. Dick Matthews, second, and Mabel Cissell, third. Pumpkin cookies — Marcia Bryant, first, and Emma Ford, second.

At the judging at Pearl and Spring Streets, Martha Chastain and Michael Becht won the prize for the best replica-of-a-period costume. For the most unique costume, the winners were Ron and Debbie Rembe.

The final judging of the day was in the children's classes. In the first group, as Young Farmers, the winners were Mary Beth and John Cochran, the children of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Cochran, Jr., of Lanesville. In the second group, were Randy and Russell Bohannon, children of Mr. and Mrs. James Bohannon of Corydon Pike, New Albany.

Two awards were made to a group on the stage, including Joe Wathen of Rt. 2, Georgetown, in buckskins and looking like a modern Daniel Boone, and the Michael Eskridge family, wife Wendy and tiny tot Jason, the contestants.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1974

The Title VII Nutrition Program of the Gilt Edge Baptist Church, Jeffersonville, held its annual Christmas bazaar and dinner. Pictured from left are Mary Lukemeier, Kate Lawson, Susan Johnson, Ellen Reason, Caroline Wells, Ola Thornton, Angie Hill and Sally Wilhite.

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'Short' Weeks Cut Down On Senior House Attendance, But Not Activities Planned

Two "short" weeks will cut down on attendance at the Scott County Senior House, but as acting co-site director Marge Julian noted recently, activities will begin to pick up at the local center again once holidays end.

Mrs. Julian stated that 55 meals were served at the Scottsburg center December 22 through 24 with an additional 49 meals carried out to elderly persons unable to cook for themselves.

She issued a special invitiation for senior citizens in Scott County to "start the New Year off with new activities and new friends" by attending events at the Senior House as well as participating in the Title VII Nutrition Program through which nourishing lunches are served to persons over age 60 at the center for minimal cost.

This afternoon (Wednesday) senior citizens will be treated to a presentation of home movies, rounding out the second short week as the center will be closed Thursday and Friday, January 1 and 2.

Slated for next week is the monthly blood pressure clinic Tuesday, January 6, at 12:30 p.m., Mrs. Julian related.

She said all persons over age 60 are invited to have their blood pressure "screened" free by Ross Medi-Van Services technicians loaned to the Senior House for the day.

Those requiring transportation or who would like to make meal reservations for that day should call the center at 752-4134, she advised.

In addition, Reverend Don Dempsey of the First Presbyterian Church in Scottsburg is scheduled Friday, January 9 for afternoon devotions, she said.

Meals planned for the Title VII Nutrition Program for the week of January 5 through 9 include for MONDAY: Salisbury steak, with gravy, peas, buttered beets, rye bread, pumpkin pie, and cheese slices; TUESDAY: Roast turkey, sweet potatoes, green beans, white bread, ice cream, and peanut butter; WEDNESDAY: Franks, mashed potatoes, sauerkraut, corn bread, apricots, and cheese and crackers; THURSDAY: Beef barbecue sandwich, kale greens, apple sauce, and cake; and FRIDAY: Fried chicken, chopped broccoli, orange juice, white bread, brownie, and cheese slices.

All programs at the Scott County Senior House are sponsored by the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging headquartered in New Albany.

155 Served Meals At Senior House

155 senior citizens were served well-balanced meals at the Scott County Senior House, according to figures released this week.

Mrs. Mary Naylor, acting co-site director of the Scottsburg center, noted that the attendance figure included those persons served meals in their homes as part of the Title VII Nutrition Program as well as ten Thanksgiving Day sack lunches prepared for senior citizens.

On schedule for the coming week are regular activities of card-playing and bowling on Wednesday afternoon and Reverend Lee Bennett of the Scottsburg Church of the Nazarene will hold devotions Friday, December 5 at the center.

Mrs. Naylor advised that Father Gerald Renn of the Church of the American Martyrs in Scottsburg has been scheduled to hold devotions Friday, December 12.

Slated for the Title VII Nutrition Program menu are foods including for MONDAY: Franks, mashed potatoes, chocolate pie; TUESDAY: Beef stew with mixed vegetables, jell-o and cottage cheese salad, rye bread, cake, and cheese and crackers; WEDNESDAY: Fried chicken, creamed corn, green beans, rye bread, and orange juice; THURSDAY: Salisbury steak, spinach, cheese potatoes, white bread, and apricot halves; and FRIDAY: Liver with gravy, mashed potatoes, stewed tomatoes, white bread, and ice cream.

Senior Citizens Plan RSVP Session Monday

With Christmas around the corner, senior citizens at the Scott County Senior House will be busy Monday, December 15, making Christmas decorations during the next Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) session.

Mrs. Marge Julian, acting co-site director for the center, said Jackie Cox, RSVP director, would be present that morning to supervise the making of Christmas favors and decorations for shut-ins and hospital patients.

All senior citizens interested in assisting with this latest RSVP project are more than welcome to attend the 10:00 a.m. session, Mrs. Julian related.

Also slated for the coming week will be Father Gerald Renn of the Church of the American Martyrs in Scottsburg who will host the Friday, December 19 devotions, it was noted.

On the Title VII Nutrition Program for the week of December 15 through 19 are meals including for MONDAY: Baked turkey, sweet potatoes, cranberry salad, white bread, and ice cream; TUESDAY: Northern beans and ham, kale greens, carrots, corn bread, pineapple chunks, and cheese slices; WEDNESDAY: Tuna casserole, mixed greens, baked apples, rye bread, and cake; THURSDAY: Fried chicken, cabbage with cheese, baked potato with sour cream, rye bread, cherry pie, and cheese slices; and FRIDAY: Beef barbecue sandwich, green beans, grapefruit jucie, and a chocolate brownie.

Mrs. Julian stated that 188 persons were served meals under the Title VII program during the week of December 1 through 5, including meals delivered under the carry-out service for shut-ins.

All of the Senior House activities are sponsored by the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, headquartered in New Albnay.

Reservations for meals as well as transportation may be made by calling the center, located at 183 South Second Street in Scottsburg, at 752-4134.

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Volunteers Are Wanted For Carry-Out Program

Volunteers are needed for the carry-out service conducted under the Title VII Nutrition Program at the Scott County Senior House, it was learned this week.

A spokeswoman for the center located at 183 South Second Street in Scottsburg said that volunteers with transportation available to them are "desperately needed" by the center in order to continue the meal service to elderly shut-ins who are unable to cook for themselves.

The program should take only about an hour per weekday, between 11:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m., she went on.

Volunteers would come to the Senior House, pick up meals for persons on their routes, and deliver the food to the participant's door.

Meals are delivered to persons in the Scottsburg area, the spokeswoman added.

She suggested that the food delivery might be a "good service project for an organization in Scott County."

"All we know is we do need help soon in order to continue our efforts in the carry-out program," she related.

83 meals were served to shut-ins last week, the spokeswoman noted, with meals per day averaging to about 17.

The Title VII Nutrition Program is funded by the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged in New Albany.

The Charlestown Aged and Aging Program held its annual Christmas party at a local community building. Pictured from left, first row, seated, are Dorothy Griffin, William Collins as Santa and Dora Gravne; second row, Elbert Jackson and Henry Cook.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1974

Over 200 Eat At Senior House

Attendance at the Scott County Senior House again topped the 200 mark for the week of December 15 through 19, noted acting co-site director Mary Naylor recently.

Including the number of carry-out meals delivered to shut-ins unable to prepare lunches themselves, meals eaten at the Senior House numbered 202.

Mrs. Naylor advised that the local center at 183 South Second Street in Scottsburg would be closed Thursday, and Friday, December 25 and 26, reopening Monday, December 29.

Next week, the center will again close for the New Year holidays, January 1 and 2 and will resume regular hours Monday, January 5, it was noted.

Scheduled for the coming week of December 29 through January 2 are meals including for MONDAY: Meat loaf with tomato gravy, mashed potatoes, orange juice, rye bread, custard pie, and cheese slices; TUESDAY: Sausage patty with gravy, sauer kraut, mashed potatoes, corn bread, and fruit cocktail; WEDNESDAY: Ham and black-eyed peas, stewed apples, creamed carrots, corn bread, cake, and cheese slices; THURSDAY: A sack lunch consisting of a roast beef sandwich, potato chips, banana, and a Twinkie; and FRIDAY: Beef barbecue sandwich, chopped broccoli, peach and cottage cheese salad, and ice cream.

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The Corydon, Indiana, HARRISON COUNTY PRESS, Tuesday, December 24, 1974

Meals available to Senior Citizens

Hot meals at noon time are available to any citizen of Harrison County who has reached the age of 60 and who perhaps does not desire to cook for himself. It is also an opportunity to have dinner with friends, old and new, in a pleasant home atmosphere.

If you are unable to travel to the Corydon Center please call 738-3065 or 738-3334 and your noon meal will be delivered to you.

Price of the meal is whatever you are able to pay. Receiving the meals, either in your own home or at the Center, does not in any way affect any other benefits such as Old Age Assistance, Blind, Social Security, Pension, or any other type of program.

Mrs. Jewel Conrad, Site Director, asks that those who desire to take advantage of this hot meal program, call either her or the Center on the day prior to the meal day, which is Monday through Friday.

Call 738-3065 or 738-3334 in Corydon, Indiana.

Monday, December 30—Fried Chicken, creamed potatoes, stewed tomatoes, bread, drink and cake.

Tuesday, December 31—Meat Loaf, cauliflower with cheese, spinach, pineapple chunks, steak, drink.

Wednesday, January 1, 1975—Roast Beef Sandwich, potato chips, banana, Twinkies, drink.

Thursday, January 2—Sauteed Liver, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, corn bread, ice cream.

Friday, January 3—Fried fish, chopped broccoli, carrot slices, corn bread, lemon pie.

Please make reservation for meals the day before by calling 738-3065 or 738-3334.

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Senior Citizens Invited To Attend Movies In Clarksville

Starting January 24, Scott County senior citizens are being invited to attend a "special selection" of movies at the Trans-Lux Theatre in Clarksville once or twice a month, according to Title VII Nutrition Director Mary Lukemeier

The movies, she said, would be selected from among those senior citizens expressed a desire to see, and will be shown at a special matinee every other Friday.

Admission will cost $.75 , and transportation will be provided by the Scott County Senior House bus.

A social hour will be held for an hour preceding the movie with cookies and punch being served. All movies will begin at 2:00 p.m.

"We hope all senior citizens in Scott County will join us on these trips," Mrs. Lukemeier commented, adding that interested persons should contact Senior House Site Director Dorothy Linzay at 752-4134 for further information.

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Job requires getting the hang of paperwork

By JOE HOLWAGER
Courier-Journal Staff Writer

One of the first things Anna Jane Ollis does as she prepares for the workday ahead is to set her aluminum stepladder outside the door of her home in rural Greenville of Floyd County.

The stepladder is a sign to neighbors that she is starting a new job.

However, Mrs. Ollis, who is 64, doesn't hurry off every morning to work. Instead, she waits for her employer to chauffeur her to work.

And that's not the only thing that distinguishes Mrs. Ollis from most of us who work for a living. She has a job that has traditionally been left to men.

Mrs. Ollis is a professional wallpaper hanger, and has been for the last 49 years.

Mrs. Ollis works with a speed and efficiency that seem to belie her age. She says she sleeps soundly at night, and doesn't suffer from muscle aches and pains, which often effect homeowners who try their hand at a job that can be very frustrating for the unskilled.

The woman, who has always worked alone, gets a simple satisfaction from her work.

"I just don't know of anything that makes a place look better than wallpaper," she said in an interview. She looked around a pleasant room that had been transformed in a matter of hours from a scarred, ugly chamber.

"Just look at those walls," she said with a sense of accomplishment.

The house she was working in is being refurbished as a senior citizens center in Scottsburg. She papered the walls and ceilings of three rooms there in 1½ days. Probably, she could have finished sooner had she not taken time to answer the questions of this reporter.

Mrs. Ollis began wallpapering in 1925 at the age of 15 when, during a cleaning session for her mother, she decided to paper their home, near Galena.

"After I got done there, there was a neighbor lady that wanted me to do her house, and then her sister, until it just kept on," she recalled, as she swished a large seven-inch brush back and forth, applying paste to the back of a strip of wallpaper.

She wore a suit of workman's coveralls with blue vertical pin stripes. A 12-inch long wall brush protruded from a rear pocket. A ceiling brush with a long handle rested against the aluminum ladder nearby. A hole had been cut in the top of the ladder and her scissors were stuck in the hole — a precaution to prevent them from being knocked off, possibly causing an injury.

Mrs. Ollis grew up in the Galena area and attended grade school in the nearby community of Navilleton. Her schooling ended after grade school, because, as she explained, "in those days there weren't any buses and unless you could afford room and board or knew someone you could live with in New Albany, you just didn't go to high school."

During the depression, she married. Her husband, Dallas, worked on a farm near Stewart-Newton in southwestern Orange County for $9 a week. She helped out with domestic chores, so they got their room and board free.

Her husband later took up carpentry, a profession that he continued in until he died of a heart attack nearly nine years ago.

Twice during World War II, Mrs. Ollis worked at the Indiana Army Ammunition Plant near Charlestown. But these were the only times she ever held jobs besides paperhanging.

She also reared three children — two sons and a daughter — and now has 11 grandchildren.

Much of Mrs. Ollis' work comes from independent building contractors in northwestern Floyd County. A decade ago wallpaper was seldom considered in new houses, she said, but now many homes are finished with colorful wallpaper.

Mrs. Ollis also contracts for a number of one-time jobs, such as the Scottsburg senior citizens center and the new administrative offices of the South Central Council for the Aging and Aged in New Albany.

Thelma Bertrand, executive director of the Council for the Aging, said Mrs. Ollis papered the offices — also in a refurbished old house — for $175 less than the next lowest bid received on the job and supplied her own wallpaper. The other bidders submitted proposals for labor only and would have charged additional for wallpaper.

She completed the New Albany job in four days, papering walls and ceilings in nine rooms, two large halls, two bathrooms and a deep stairwell that had Mrs. Bertrand and others concerned for Mrs. Ollis' safety.

Mrs. Ollis shook off the concern with a toss of her head. "As long as I've got a good ladder and a board, I don't care how high I get," she said.

Contrary to the experience of most novice paperhangers, Mrs. Ollis says the walls — rather than ceilings — are the hardest to hang. She explained that ceilings involve straight hanging, while walls require measuring and cutting to fit the paper around door casings, windows and light fixtures.

And what about stairwells?

"Well, they are just a little harder to get to. That's all," Mrs. Ollis said.

In a day and age when the automobile seems so important to the happiness and well-being of so many people, Mrs. Ollis gets along comfortably without one. She doesn't drive and has never felt a compulsion to learn.

The prerequisite for hiring Mrs. Ollis is that you pick her up at her home—preferably by 7 a.m.—and you drive her home in the evening.

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Paperwork is an integral part of the job of Anna Jane Ollis. Mrs. Ollis, 64, of Greenville, has been hanging wallpaper since 1925. She recently finished a job at a senior citizens center in Scottsburg.

Staff Photos
by Joe Holwager

Also, if she is working in the home of a family she knows, she may consent to have lunch with them.

This may seem like an unusual employment arrangement, but it works very well. Persons who know Mrs. Ollis and the work she does don't hesitate to arrange her transportation.

Also, she sweetens things by charging less for her services than most professional paperhangers in the Louisville metropolitan area.

During her four days working in the New Albany offices of the Council for the Aging, everyone "just fell in love with her, because she is so colorful," Mrs. Bertrand said.

During the interview in Scottsburg last week, Mrs. Ollis gently poked fun at herself and traditions of society, displaying a keen wit.

Here are some samples of her responses to questions:

Q. Do you have any plans to remarry?

A. Oh. Goodnight, no. That's for young folks.

Q. Was your late husband from a large family?

A. My husband was one of three sons. He was the only one to get married. I guess the others saw what a mistake he made and didn't want to try.

During a break in the questions, as she climbed her aluminum step ladder for about the 50th time that day, Mrs. Ollis smiled: "I always say there are a lot of ups and downs in my job. And there are."

Q. How long do you plan to continue hanging wallpaper?

A. As long as I feel like it. If I get so I don't feel like it, I'll just sit and let the world go by."

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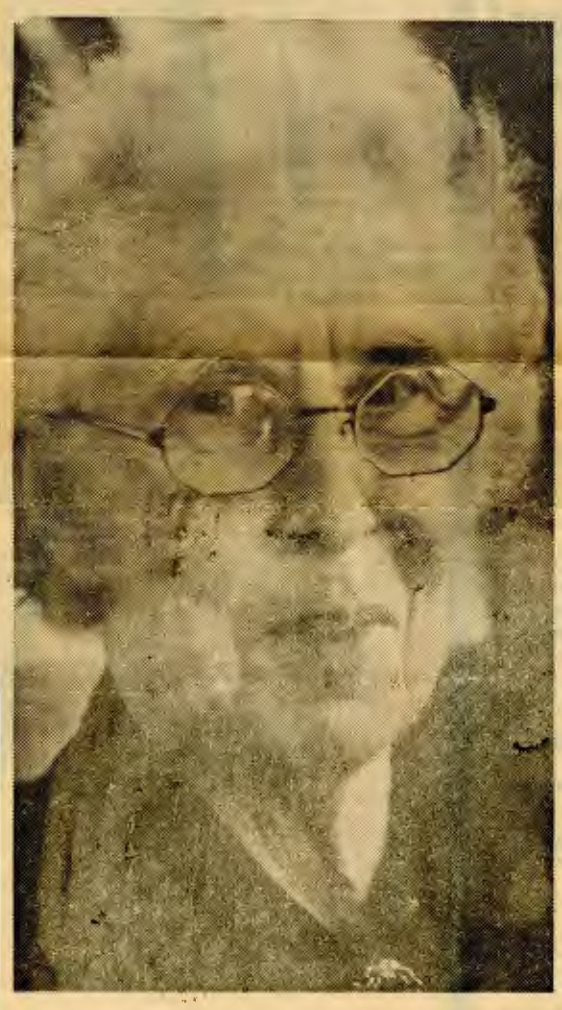

A ready smile and a practical outlook on life and its transitions are two of her dominate characteristics.

With a volunteer partner as driver, Miss Biddle navigated as she sorted out the food along the route.

Meet Edna Biddle, who helps meet the needs of the elderly as a volunteer in a nutrition program of the South-Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged. Though in her 70s herself, less fortunate senior citizens are her concern as she delivers hot lunches to some 58 shut-ins served by the program. She also helps prepare the daily fare at four Clark County sites where other seniors can come for a noon meal. Miss Biddle, a retired teacher, lives on East Eighth Street in Jeffersonville.

PHOTOS BY PATRICK PFISTER

Miss Biddle helps spoon peach halves into cups as mealtime nears in the nutrition center at Wall Street Methodist Church in Jeffersonville.

Third "Birthday" Held; 107 Getting Noon Meals

The title VII nutrition program celebrated its third birthday of operation at the nine meal sites located in Area 14 Friday, Oct. 8.

Title VII is a program of the south central Indiana council for the aging and aged, Inc. and serves senior citizens in Clark, Floyd, Harrison and Scott counties.

Thelma Bertrand, executive director of the council, said the meal site opened in Scott county Apr. 29, 1974 when it became a part of Area 14, and "has provided nutritionally sound meals to people 60 years of age and older at a cost their budget can afford."

In Scott county, the hospitality-nutrition site is at Senior House, 183 S. Second St., Scottsburg. The council for older Americans has extended its facilities to the nutrition program to operate in their multi - purpose senior citizens center at no cost. Catered by Lancaster catering, this site serves a noon meal to over 107 residents of Scott county each Monday through Friday.

Calling attention to the need for the nutrition program, Mary Lukemeier, Title VII nitrition director, stated that many health problems that develop in later years are a direct result of poor eating habits. Factors in declining nutritional health can often be traced to the physical inability to cook well-balanced meals, increased isolation generated by living alone and a reduced income making the purchase of nutritious food a hardship on older Americans.

Attempting to eliminate poor eating habits by providing one well balanced meal daily, the nutrition program also alleviates loneliness by providing a family type atmosphere at the various hospitality sites.

The nutrition program runs smoothly with the help of 3-5 volunteers daily per site, noted Mrs. Lukemeier. In addition to the meals served at the sites throughout Area 14, 150 meals are delivered each day by volunteers and green thumb employes to shut-ins. "The Nutrition Programowes a debt of gratitude to the churches in Scottsburg for providing volunteers to deliver meals to the home - bound elderly,' commented Mary Lukemeier. We also are grateful to the many volunteers through local churches and civic organizations and the retired senior volunteer program for their support of the Nutrition Program.

Joining in the affair at senior house were: Mayor Blake Burns, Fannie Middleton, senior citizen queen for area 14; and Dorothy Linzay, former director of Scottsburg meal site and the many volunteers who are vital to the program's success.

"Many of the volunteers who serve here have helped since the program began, while others have served for a shorter time," commented Marge Julian, site director, "But all the volunteers are very special to me and to the program."

"In the three-year period that it has been in operation, the nutrition program has increased from serving 150 meals a day to the present 500 meals per day. The current level of service is possible because of the fine cooperation provided by council for older Americans, RSVP, Green Thumb and other church and civic organizations.

"The nutrition program has received national acceptance to the extent that the demand far exceeds resources available," noted Mrs. Bertrand.

"We are now awaiting the passage of a bill that would enabled more meals to be served and new hospitality sites to be opened in neighboring small communities," added Mrs. Lukemeier.

More information concerning participation in and volunteering for the nutrition program may be obtained by contacting the Title VII Office, 948-8873, 317 E. Fifth St. in New Albany.

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Dedication set for senior citizens' center at Corydon

CORYDON, Ind. — The Harrison County Senior Citizens Center, 123 South Mulberry St., will be dedicated in a program beginning at 2 p.m. Thursday at the center.

Maurice Endwright, executive director of the State Commission on Aging and the Aged, will participate in the dedication.

The center, a remodeled two-story house in Corydon's near downtown area, was purchased and will be operated by a local foundation endowed by Joe Rhoads, 79-year-old Corydon man. It will serve as a meal site for a nutrition program for tht elderly, and as a center for other activities.

Senior Citizens Center

Quite a number of people — of varying ages, from middle-aged to aged and aging — have spoken to us in complimentary terms for Joseph H. Rhoads concerning the Senior Citizens Center which is opening tomorrow.

The Center is the fulfillment of the dreams of a new resident of the county. Joe Rhoads, with his wife, the late May Frank Rhoads, had talked many times of returning to Corydon, where Mrs. Rhoads had lived and taught school, and using their savings for establishing something of benefit which was needed here. Before Mrs. Rhoads died, and since her death two years ago, the subject of a useful memorial in Harrison County had been in Joe Rhoads' thoughts.

In addition to providing a building especially for use of the county's senior citicens, the plans call for useful activities as well as games. Rhoads talks of having classes in knitting, crocheting, ceramics, coinage, musical programs, movies, games and other entertainment, and pursuit of hobbies.

The project has received the cooperation of the Indiana Commission on the Aged and Aging. The RSVP (Retired Senior Volunteer Program) which in this area is directed by Mrs. Thelma Bertrand of New Albany, has been conducting a very successful and much-appreciated Nutrition Project with noon meetings and luncheons five days per week in Fellowship Hall of the Corydon Christian Church. The kindness and generosity of members of the Corydon Christian Church congregation in their providing use of the church's kitchen and dining area are appreciated. Now the new Joe and May Rhoads Senior Citizen Center will provide the facilities. The building at 123 South Mulberry Street which is being opened Thursday is expected to be used in an even more valued and far-reaching way.

Joe Rhoads has had the splendid assistance of Joe E. Stepro, who has done much of the planning and supervising of the Senior Citizens Center during the past few months. Jewell Conrad, who has served as director and manager of the Nutrition luncheons at the Christian Church Hall, will continue her directing and managing of the Title VII hospitality center in the new location on South Mulberry Street just two blocks away on the same street, across the street from the Jay C Store.

No doubt a number of citizens in addition to the senior citizens will want to see the new center at 123 South Mulberry Street during the open house Thursday afternoon. And information as to how to make use of the new center, for senior citizens who have not so far made use of the Nutrition Luncheons Program and also possibly sons and daughters of senior citizens, may be obtained by contacting Mr. Rhoads or Mr. Stepro or by calling the South Central Council for the Aging and Aged at 317 E. Fifth Street, New Albany. The phone number is 948-8330.

On Thursday Maurice Endwright of Ellettsville, executive director of the State Commission on the Aged and Aging, will be present at 123 S. Mulberry Street for the opening of the new center.

—Robert P. O'Bannon

New Senior Citizens center opens Nov. 21

Gala opening of the Harrison County Senior Citizens Center at 123 S. Mulberry will be Thursday Nov. 21, 2-4 p. m. Maurice Endwright, executive director of the State Commission of the Aging, will be present along with other dignitaries. The public is invited to attend the dedication, the ribbon-cutting ceremony and later, tour the building.

The Center is the fulfillment of the dream of a wonderful civic-minded retired professor, Joe Rhoads, who bought the building, and set up a trust fund for its perpetual upkeep.

Planning of the project and supervising of the re-modeling of this building has been in the hands of Joe Stepro. Also assisting in the planning and development is the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc., Area 14 Agency. The Council will continue to provide technical and financial assistance.

Title VII Nutrition program, now serving a hot nutritious meal to 50 Senior Citizens five days a week at the Corydon Christian Church, will be moved into this beautiful new facility. Mary Lukemeier, Title VII Nutrition Director stated, "I feel with all the added benefits, the attendance will double itself this coming year." The Retired Senior Volunteer Program, under the direction of the new RSVP Director, Jackie Cox, will also operate the Harrison County volunteer activities, from this base. Jewell Conrad, president site director of the Title VII hospitality center, will assume the duties of both the Nutrition program and the Senior Center.

Crafts, such as knitting, crocheting, ceramics, and iconage, musical programs,

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movies and other activities will be available to participants.

RSVP director

Jacqueline Cox has been named director of the Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) for the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged according to Mrs. Thelma Bertrand, Executive Director. Miss Cox will assume the position previously held by Bob Maze, who has been appointed Southern Field Representative for the Indiana State Commission on the Aging and Aged. The RSVP program, which is open to persons 60 and over in Clark, Floyd, Harrison and Scott counties, is financed by a government grant under the ACTION Program supplemented by local funds.

A native of South Bend, Ind., Miss Cox received her education at Ohio Northern University and was formerly employed as media director for a Louisville advertising agency. She has also worked on various newspapers throughout the tri-state area. Additional information on the RSVP program may be obtained by contacting the South Central Council for the Aging and Aged, 317 E. Fifth St., New Albany, 948-8330.

Senior Citizens Center opening celebrated

Harrison County Senior Citizens Center opened last Thursday afternoon with the assistance of some three hundred "well wishers."

The Corydon Central Freshman Band under the direction of Suzanne Banister provided the music along with Senior Citizen Hurley Conrad.

The day was cold and the interior too small to allow space for a whole band, so the young musicians braved the cold and played their concert from the curbside in front of the new home on Mulberry Street in Corydon.

Mistress of ceremonies was Thelma Bertrand, Executive Director of the Title VII program. Major speaker was Maurice Endwright Executive Director of the State Commission on Aging.

Judge Scott Tower Miller of the Crawford-Harrison Judicial Circuit assisted Mr. Joe Rhoads in cutting the ribbon to open the new center.

The center, first of its kind for

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Harrison County, has been made possible by the Joe and May Rhoads Foundation. The Center was dedicated last Thursday in memory of the late Mrs. May Frank Rhoads.

Two engraved plaques noting this were installed on the building during last week's dedication.

The new Center at 123 S. Mulberry will be the site for the Title VII Nutrition Program (Where those who no longer feel like preparing a hot meal for themselves alone will find fellowship among friends and a hot meal prepared by others, says Benefactor Joe Rhoads.)

The Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) will also originate from the Senior Citizens Center, as will many other planned projects.

Other dignataries at last Thursday's dedication included Rev. John Taylor of the Corydon Christian Church, Rev. Stanton Lightfoot of the Corydon Methodist Church; Joe Stepro, the Center's Director; Mary Lukemeier, Title VII Area Director; Jackie Cox, Area RSVP Director; Hal Simmonds, Co-ordinator of Area centers; Bob Maze, Field Representative; Jewel Conrad, Local Site Director; Jewell Conrad, Site Director Title VII.

Velda Wolfe, Junior Vice President of the District 8 VFW Auxiliary, presented the Center with a specially dedicated flag to fly over the Center.

Acknowledgment was also made of various gifts from the two Corydon Banks and from other well wishers.

Mr. Stepro says the Center is "still being readied and that plans call for an Open House later in the year." +

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Green Thumb program offers older people a chance to work

By JOE GAGLIARDI
Louisville Times Staff Writer

Picture this: a crew of elderly men clearing underbrush for a new park road, or working to turn a vacant schoolhouse into a community center.

They're not long-term employes with visions of retirement.

In fact, retirement, led them into the work they do in many communities in Indiana, including Jeffersonville.

Their efforts aren't costing local governments a cent, either.

These men are part of a program for older people with low incomes and rural backgrounds. Known as Green Thumb, Inc., the program is sponsored by the National Farmers Union under a grant from the U.S. Department of Labor.

In Indiana, there are 460 men and women in Green Thumb projects, such as highway beautification, conservation and community services, according to James Goen, associate director of the state program.

Green Thumb, Goen said, is designed to help older, retired people work their way out of poverty.

To qualify for the program, a person must be at least 55 years old, have an annual income below $2,330 for a single person or $3,070 for a couple, and pass a medical examination.

Helps them in 3 ways

"Green Thumb projects are designed to help people three ways," Goen said—"with their income, their health and their interests."

Green Thumb workers in Indiana are paid the federal minimum wage, which is $2.10 per hour, he said. They work three 8-hour days each week, and can add about $1,200 to their yearly income while training for possible employment elsewhere, he added.

A typical Green Thumb crew is employed by the Jeffersonville Department of Parks and Recreation.

During the past year, the crew has been clearing the city's newest park, on the old Ash Estate just east of Jeffersonville High School.

Parks Supt. Richard Colston said Green Thumb crews also assisted in the renovation of the old Chestnut Street School, which is now the Chestnut Street Youth Center. The crews also built a public toilet in the city's Highland Park, he said.

During bad weather, the crews work inside, maintaining equipment, he added.

Colston estimated that the parks department would need to hire three additional men, at an annual cost of $15,500, to perform the work done by the five-man Green Thumb crew.

"It (the program) is just a blessing in disguise for us," he said. "Because of the city's low tax base, we couldn't hire the additional people, and much of the work performed by the Green Thumb crew would never get done."

The Jeffersonville Green Thumb crew works independently, under its own supervisor.

Colston has no doubts about their ability.

"If you compare rural men with city men," he explained, "you'll find them far more skilled, regardless of their training. They are used to hard work.

Women also are eligible for Green Thumb employment. There are about 30 women participants throughout Indiana, and the Farmers Union is looking for more.

"We've found there are more eligible women then men," Goen said, adding that most of the women who are accepted into Green Thumb perform clerical or secretarial work.

Goen said Green Thumb is unique because it is geared to help the elderly. Few other public-service programs employ older people in such numbers, he said.

But the future of Green Thumb programs may be clouded.

Ford wants state involved

Goen said Congress has continued to appropriate money for the project, which is now in its 10th year, but President Ford has directed the Department of Labor to eliminate national contractors such as the Farmers Union. The directive instructs the department to funnel funds for such projects through state government, he said.

"Historically, when federal money flows through state governments," Goen declared, "there are few stipulations to insure that public-service employment programs include the elderly."

Goen said the Farmers Union holds its administrative costs below 10 per cent of

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Staff Photo by Melissa Farlow

Working to maintain Jeffersonville Parks Department equipment under the Green Thumb program are, from left, Alvin Hutsell, Carl Clark and Paul Huth. They are from Charlestown.

'ıe total appropriation. (Indiana receives '08,000 annually in federal funds for the 'een Thumb program.) Few states, he id, could run the program for less.

Employment applications for Green Thumb can be obtained at local state employment ofices, Goen said. The Indiana Employment Security Division office at 320 E. Elm St. in New Albany will interview prospective Green Thumbers. The state Green Thumb ofice in Seymour does the hiring.

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WELCOME TO

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NEW ALBANY, INDIANA

May 29, 1974

2:30 - 4:30 P. M.

Sponsored by the

South Central Indiana

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SPECIAL GUESTS

INDIANA STATE COMMISSION ON AGING

Ora Lee Wann
Project Coordinator
Title VII Nutrition Program

The Reverand C. Luther Bostrom
Project Coordinator

Mr. Joe Shoemaker
RSVP Resource Specialist

LOCAL OFFICIALS

Mayor John Bowen, Charlestown

Mayor Richard Vissing, Jeffersonville

Mayor Warren Nash, New Albany

Judge Scott Miller, Corydon

Mayor Blake Burns, Scottsburg

Special thanks to:

Silver Street United Methodist
The Reverand Robert R. Kessinger
For the use of the church facilities.

New Albany-Floyd County Public Schools
Mr. Peder Espeseth, Assistant Superintendant
For providing entertainment.

OLDER AMERICANS DAY

Honoring Volunteers In The

TITLE VII NUTRITION PROGRAM

AND

RETIRED SENIOR VOLUNTEER PROGRAM

Introduction of Guests:

Mrs. Thelma Bertrand, Executive Director
South Central Indiana
Council For The Aging & Aged, Inc.

Presentation of Pins and Certificates:

Mayor John Bowen

Mayor Richard Vissing

Mayor Warren Nash

Judge Scott Miller

Mayor Blake Burns

Entertainment:

County-Wide Elementary Orchestra

Floyd Central Highlanders Bagpipers

- REFRESHMENTS -

- Downtown Neighborhood Council Day Care
- Center for Lay Ministries
  Volunteer Secretarial Work
  Adult to Supervise Clean-up of Rolling Hills
  Someone to coordinate crafts and activities for children in Rolling Hills

TITLE VII NUTRITION NEWS.....

The Hospitality Centers are booming with activity and the summer programs are getting organized. The following are activities you will want to become involved with:

The Senior Citizens Cookie Baking Contest will be coming up at the County Fairs on the following dates:

Floyd County - July 16
Clark County - Aug. 6 at the Clark County Farm Bureau Booth
Harrison County - July 30
Scott County - July 30 before 4p.m.

Bring 6 drop cookies on a plate and the recipe.

Exhibitors will receive participation ribbons. There top winners will demonstrate at the Indiana State Fair, Sat. August 17.

Free transportation to the Fair!
Free fair entrance tickets!
Free basic demonstration materials at Indiana State Fair.
Have a fun filled day at the Fair!!!!!

Enter the contest and we will see you

DENTAL HEALTH.....

A new group has been organized at the Southern Indiana Guidance Center in Jeffersonville to help older people who are not able to enter into other community programs. The client who says he is too frightened and insecure in social situations to join others in RSVP for example, is referred to a group which meets weekly at the center.

Here, therapists work with these older clients in an effort to give them new confidence in themselves and their abilities. The aim of this group approach is to eventually integrate these people into other community programs where they can enjoy a fuller relationship with others. For further information, please call 283-4491.

DOWNTOWN NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL.....

Vacation Bible School will be starting July 29 at St. Mark's United Church of Christ. Maybe you could help us by donating some of the following items badly needed by the bible school. We need yarn, jelly jar lids, scraps of cloth, trim & braid, old hoisery, sheets artists paint brushes, white glue, leather punch, and delabled detergent bottles. Of course, we can always use donations of money.

PACT ACTIVITIES.....

We have started a reading program for the inmates of the Clark County jail in Jeffersonville. On Wednesday after-

The Charlestown, In., COURIER, Friday, July 12, 1974

Hamilton announces grant to CAP

Congressman Lee H. Hamilton advises that the Clark County Community Action Program has been awarded $161,762.00 to continue the operation of its Headstart program.

These year long grants funds will be used to serve approximately 165 children from low income families throughout the city on a part time basis.

CELEBRATE — Senior citizens at Vance Ct. Nutrition Site celebrated the Bicentennial with an extension homemakers meeting and special program. The activities ended with a trip to the County Home and three nursing homes in the area where lap "robes," made by the older people, were distributed among the patients. Displaying one of the robes are Ruth Hendricks, Anna Whitney, Pearl Lett, Virginia Mosley and Rosie Edwards.

Robert J. Maze
Retired Senior Volunteer Program
948-8330

Thelma Bertrand
Executive Director
948-9161

Mary Lukemeier
Title VII Nutrition Program.
948-8873

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June 24, 1974

Our Council has received GOOD NEWS and the benefits will be passed along to you/

Mayor Warren Nash and the City Council in New Albany have agreed to the purchase of the house located at 317 E. 5th Street. THANK YOU/ The first floor will be a Senior Citizens Center and the second floor will house the office staff of our Council.

People 60 years old and older will be invited to make this Center their "second home" and enjoy the activities to be planned 5 days a week. We hope to open our doors by August 1.

Clark Arms will be the Senior Citizens Center in Jeffersonville. Equipment and craft materials will be purchased within the next few weeks. You will have a voice in the program planning and handicraft activities.

We need a site in Corydon. Mr. Rhoads and Mr. Stepro are working on it. As soon as one is located, the Senior Citizens in Harrison County will have a fun-filled regular program. Our meal program at the Christian Church is an excellent one, but you could participate in activities for a longer period of time at a center.

The same applies to Scott County. If you are aware of any rental property in Scottsburg, preferably a home in reasonably good repair, please call our office - 945-9161.

We want all of you nice people to have fun, food and fellowship/

The Council purchased a 12 passenger van since our last newsletter and is in the process of purchasing another. With the Floyd County OEO money (bless them) to be given to us around the first of July, we'll have three vans to cover the four-county area. Schedules will be announced and it is hoped our Council will be able to relieve part of the transportation problems existing in our area.

The State Commission on Aging has been responsible for our receiving tornado disaster relief money to help older people affected by the tornado. The funding is to be used to help these people locate the proper sources to obtain relief and to supplement the needs that have not been met. We can provide the contact between the person and the agency - transportation to the agency - and many other services. If you know of an older person needing this assistance, please call us.

We're moving right along - and the credit goes to the wonderful support we are receiving from the state and city officials, organizations and fine interested people. Again, many thanks

Thelma Bertrand

RSVP ASSISTS DAY CAMP.....

A recent call from the Clark County Extension Service put in a request for RSVP volunteers to help staff a day camp for low income children in Clark County.

As usual, you responded beautifully/ So far, 9 volunteers have gone to the camp, helping with cooking, crafts, and recreatopm.

The camp started June 10, and will run for 4 weeks, Monday through Thursday of each week. Two weeks remain:

June 24 - 27
July 1 - 4

Any one interested in serving these remaining sessions please call the RSVP office - 948-8330.

NEW VOICE ON THE PHONE.....

Since the beginning of our RSVP last fall, you've talked with Janice Striegel when you've had contact with the RSVP office.

Janice has decided to "retire" and stay at home with her little boy.

From now on, the friendly voice on the phone will be Mrs. Linda Lowrey, our new RSVP secretary.

May be you'd like to phone in just to get acquainted with the new member of our family.

VOLUNTEER HOURS.....

Your volunteer hours are very important to our RSVP records. Be sure you fill out the form at your place of service or call the office with your hours by the end of the month.

ACTION expects each volunteer to put in some time each month. If you go three months without performing some volunteer service, we are required to remove you from the rolls! Most of you are very good about serving even more than your share. But, if for some reason, you have had to take a vacation we'd better get together!

OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE.....

- American Cancer Society Office
- Rehabilitation Center
  Arts, Crafts, Transportation
- Services for Crippled Children Office
- Salvation Army
  Answer phone, relay messages
- Clark County Day Camp

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The Gift
Of Friendship
FRIENDSHIP is a PRICELESS GIFT
that cannot be bought or sold,
But its value is far greater
than a mountain made of gold –
For gold is cold and lifeless,
it can neither see nor hear,
And in the time of trouble
it is powerless to cheer –
It has no ears to listen,
no heart to understand,
It cannot bring you comfort
or reach out.
a helping hand –
So when you ask
God for a GIFT,
be thankful if HE sends
Not diamonds, pearls or riches,
but the love of real true friends.
Helen Steiner Rice

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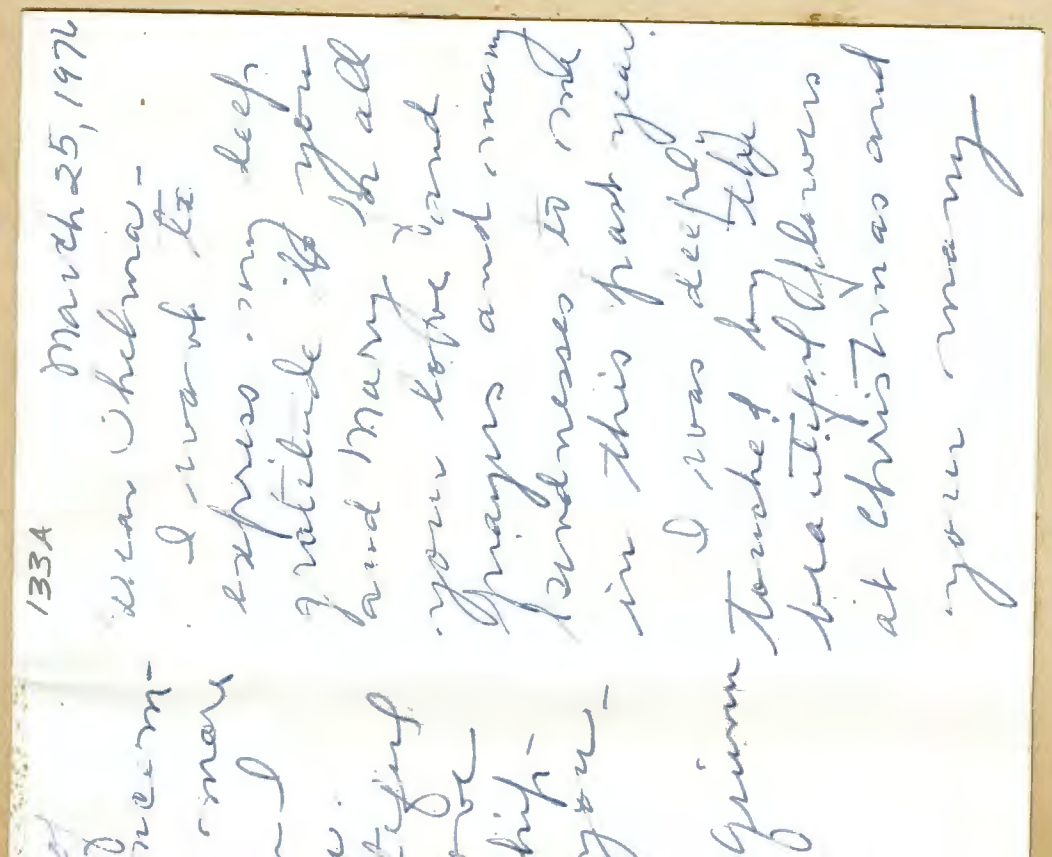

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Dear Thelma-

I want to express my deep gratitude to you and many friends and many years for the kindness in this part year. I was deeply touched by the beautiful flowers at Christmas and many

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Floyd County

Senior-citizen women in New Albany joined Santa's elves this year. The **Salvation Army** bought 100 dolls to distribute on Christmas, but they had no money to clothe them. Women in the **South Central Council for the Aging and Aged** volunteered to dress the toys.

The work went so quickly that the project grew to include the restoration of used dolls. When all the freshly bathed and coifed dolls were collected, more than 150 had passed through the "beauty spa."

Major Irene Neil of the Salvation Army gave a tea to thank the 46 women who worked on the project. Prizes were presented for many categories of doll outfits. . . .

First place winners were: Eva Wood, Irma Michel, Esther Newkirk, Jenny Woller, Retta Brown, Irene Locke, Lucille Sprinkle, Margaret Martin, Betty Rue and Ethel Meyer.

The following New Albany churches will hold **New Year's Eve services** at 7:30 p.m. (communion service) at Grace Lutheran Church, 1804 Charlestown Road; at midnight (communion) at First Church of God, 2248 Charlestown Road, and at 9:30 p.m. at Grant Line United Methodist Church, 4810 Grant Line Road. The Rev. Bill Arnold will speak at the service at Grant Line United Methodist, and refreshments will be served after the service.

The **Kiwanis Club of Historic New Albany** will meet at 7 a.m. Friday at the Robert E. Lee Motor Inn, 201 E. Elm St.

Indiana neighborhood news briefs are published in the Indiana edition each Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Items for it should be sent to Neighborhood News Briefs, The Louisville Times, 525 W. Broadway, Louisville 40202. The telephone number is 582-4635.

Page 2, The Tribune, New Albany Tuesday April 6, 1976

A SWEETHEART — Mary Sanders, front and center with trophy, sponsored by the New Albany Rhythm Band, has been selected as the 1976 Senior Sweetheart in the contest conducted by the Retired Senior Volunteer Program and the American Heart Association. Competing with 15 other candidates from Clark, Floyd, Harrison and Scott Counteis, Mrs. Sanders was selected for the honor by a panel of judges from the Louisville television and press. Charlestown was designated as the 1976 City with the Biggest Heart for collecting the most money per capita. Proceeds will be donated to the Heart Fund and RSVP. RSVP is a program of the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging & Aged, Inc. Others pictured are members of the New Albany Rhythm Band, who sponsored Mrs. Sanders. (Tribune Photo)

Page 10, The Tribune, New Albany, Tuesday, Dec. 23, 1975

Split Closing For Offices In City-County Building

There will be a "split closing" of the offices in the City-County Building for the Christmas holiday period be starting Wednesday.

County offices will be closed all day, the City offices will be open until noon, and the employees of both sections will return to their tasks Friday morning.

This is part of the general Christmas-season closings that will reach into all public offices, agencies and about all businesses this mid-week with the exception of such vital agencies as police and ifre departments.

At their meeting on Monday, the Floyd County Commissioners set the closing hours, giving the help the entire day off Wednesday. They will work on Saturday morning, but the City help, with only a half-day Wednesday for leisurely purpose, will have the full day Saturday off.

Christmas, the major holiday of the year, will be generally observed, the closing affecting all local, state and federal installations.

It is one of the six holidays that are observed each year by the banks and other financial institutions.

At the post office, the holiday hours wil be observed, which means no deliveries or lobby service. Box mail will be worked and special-delivery mail and perishables will be dispatched.

All offices in the Federal Building here will be closed.

The Indiana Employment Security Division office at E. 4th and Elm Sts., will be closed both Thursday and Friday for Christmas, and the same schedule will prevail next week for the New Year's season.

If you have a little extra luv . . . share it. Check the Tribune classifieds and see what a "luvable" pet you could end up with . . .

Mother cat and four lovely kittens given free to good homes. Call 000-0000 after 5 p.m. weekdays.

Whether you're selling or searching, the Tribune Classifieds are the place to look. Place your ad the easy, economical way by phoning 944-6481 and ask for classified.

OTHER CLOSINGS

Mary Lukemeier, Title VII nutrition director for the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging & Aged, Inc., annouced that all Title VII nutrition sites in Clark, Floyd, Harrison and Scott Counties will be closed Dec. 26 and Jan. 2. The multi-purpose Senior Citizen centers in the four counties will also be closed on those days, and there will be no transportation service available, according to Thelma Bertrand, executive director of the Council for the Aging.

The auto-license branch at 415 E. Main St. here starting tomorrow, will be closed for the remainder of the week.

Gene McCoskey, the director of the Floyd County Welfare Department, said that agency, in the Payless Building on Bank St., will close at noon Wednesday, reopen Friday, and the same schedule will be followed for New Year's.

The American War Mothers, Clark County Chapter 66, held a meeting at the Jeffersonville American Legion Hall. Pictured from left are Violet McCarroll, state hospital chairwoman; Rose Dallmann, corresponding secretary; Marjorie Coats, president and Julia Crandall, chaplain. The chapter is currently making plans for the April 24 party to be held at a Madison Indiana Hospital.

A grand opening ceremony was held at the new Charlestown Senior Citizens Center, located at 214 McCampbell Street, Charlestown. Pictured above is Mayor Clay Hall and Henrietta Bolly, director of the Charlestown Housing Authority.

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Mrs. Ronna Lee Whaley has been selected as director of the Title VII Nutrition Program of the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc., according to Mrs. Thelma Bertrand, Executive Director of the Council. Mrs. Whaley will assume the position previously held by Mrs. Mary Lukemeier.

As director of the Nutrition Program, Mrs. Whaley will supervise nine senior citizen nutrition sites in Clark, Floyd, Harrison and Scott counties.

Mrs. Whaley graduated from Purdue University with a degree in dietetics and completed additional studies at Indiana State University and Indiana University Southeast. She was previously employed by the New Albany-Floyd County Consolidated Schools Adult Educaton Program and also worked as a consulting dietitian at the New Albany Nursing Home and the Jeffersonville Nursing Home.

Active in community affairs, Mrs. Whaley is parade co-chairman for Harvest Homecoming 1977 and is also active in Psi Iota Xi Sorority. She is a member of Incarnation Lutheran Church, Louisville Dietetics Association and Newcomers Club.

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Staff Photos by Cort Best

For Mr. and Mrs. Ed Baker, the move to the Riverview apartment complex in New Albany was a good one.

New Albany apartments for elderly draw happy response from tenants

By MINDY FETTERMAN
Louisville Times Staff Writer

For a couple who has had to work all their lives "just to make a buck," Ed and Florence Baker say things look pretty good these days.

They just moved into the new Riverview apartment complex for the elderly on Elm Street in New Albany. The $3.5 million complex, owned and operated by the New Albany Housing Authority opened June 1.

"We just love it here," Mrs. Baker said. "And we're going to stay until they drag us out."

The Bakers, of New Albany, say they worked hard all their lives "doing a little bit of everything." Now retired, they, like most of the others in the Riverview Apartments, have to live on a fixed income.

Rent payments are limited to 25 per cent of residents' income or a maximum of $115 a month. Residents are accepted only if their assets don't total more than $10,000. (The limit may be raised to $12,500 later.)

For the Bakers, moving into Riverview meant giving up a rented house, but they didn't mind.

"We don't feel like we've moved down in life by moving here, not at all. We're just living within our income, and that's all we've ever done," Mrs. Baker, 65, said.

"We've never felt like we had to live like the people across the street," Mr. Baker, 76, said. "We've always lived like individualists."

Others used to fending for themselves also are moving to Riverview apartments. Mrs. Lottie Nein and Mrs. Mildred Lentz, who have been friends for years, are among them.

Both women are widows who have been on their own for more than 10 years. Widows make up about 90 per cent of the population at Riverview, according to Harold McLean, executive director of the housing authority.

"I feel so safe in this place," Mrs. Nein, of New Albany, said. "The longer I stay here the more I like it."

Mrs. Nein lived in a house she owned for 22 years before, but finds many more conveniences in her new home. "The best thing about the place is that I can walk to the drugstore to get my prescriptions, go to the bank and also the store. None of those things was close to my old home."

Some people on the waiting list for apartments at Riverview signed up as much as five years ago. Since its opening two weeks ago, 40 people have moved in, according to McLean. The 164-unit complex should be filled by mid-July.

Mrs. Lentz, of New Albany, has been waiting since 1974. She was scheduled to move in today. "I'm so exicted I just can't wait to get here," she said.

Mrs. Lentz, like her friend, Mrs. Nein, feels the apartments are very safe, "much safer than my old home," she said. Security precautions are tight. After 4:30 p.m. no one can come up the elevators without first calling the rooms. The elevators are locked on Sundays.

"It's just a load off my mind living here," said Mrs. Nein. "There are no repairs to worry about and everything is in great shape."

The newness of the apartments is very important to the residents, most of whom have moved from older, low-income housing, McLean said.

"I usually have to paint and scrub for days when I move in someplace new," said Miss Ida Mason, of New Albany. "But I watched this building grow day by day and I've been packed for months."

Riverview has one-bedroom apartments with kitchen facilities in each one. A large cafeteria where a hot lunch will be served is planned as soon as the complex is filled. Lunch will be provided by the South Central Council for Aging and Aged's federally financed nutrition programs. The lunch will cost 50 cents for people who can afford it. If they can't, it's free.

These facilities are expected to help make old age a little easier for residents like the Bakers.

Ed Baker leaned back in his chair and laughed at his wife. "You know, it's no fun to get old, honey," he said.

"That may be true," she retorted. "But consider the alternative."

We were wrong

Because of a composing room error, the list of marriage dissolutions in some copies of yesterday's Times incorrectly said the marriage of Cheryl Simpson and Patricia Ann Seeders had been dissolved. Actually, the marriage was that of Cheryl Simpson and Jerry Gayle Simpson.

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Due to a reporter's error, the location of the new Save-A-Tree Recycling Center was incorrectly listed in some copies of The Times yesterday. The address is 5074 Poplar Level Road.

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Clark CAA Is Approved For Grant

Congressman Lee Hamilton said he has been advised by the Community Services Administration that the Clark County Community Action Agency has been awarded an $18,750 grant to provide for the administration and continued operation of the agency during the summer months.

The funds will be used for such activities as coordination of transportation programs for senior citizens and handicapped manpower clients; the development of a juvenile delinquent project in conjunction with the local probation department; development of a "human resources catalogue"; improvement of health care for low-income residents; development of employment and vocational training programs; and the establishment of senior citizen nutrition sites for Borden and New Washington.

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SENIOR QUEEN FINALISTS

AREA	CONTESTANTS	HOMETOWN
1	Lorena E. Swartout	Valparaiso
2	Lena Kampf	LaPorte
3	Vivian Elizabeth Shappell	Fort Wayne
4	Martha Callane	Flora
5	Faye Thompson	Peru
6	Sarah E. Sims	Muncie
7	Mable N. Stokes	Clinton
8	Reka B. Matthews	Franklin
9	Hazel Zurwell	Richmond
10	Martha Sherrill	Spencer
11	Elnora Cooper	Paris Crossing
12	Ruth Morris Orschell	Osgood
13A	Ruth Bische	Huntingburg
13B	Mary Girvin Conen	Grandview
14	Fannie M. Middleton	Scottsburg
15	Anna C. Trueblood	Milltown

MASTER OF CEREMONIES: Mr. Martin Miller, President
Indiana Senior Citizens Assoc.

ORGANIST: Mr. Hubert Perry of Mooresville

PROGRAM

1:15 Outside of Building
SENIOR QUEEN CANDIDATES ARRIVE IN A PARADE OF ANTIQUE AUTOMOBILES

1:30 Inside of Building
Entertainment - Chalumeau Quartet of Ind. University
Introduction of Contest Judges
PRESENTATION OF QUEEN

After a brief introduction of the contest audience by the Master of Ceremonies and assistants, each candidate will answer an extemporaneous question which has been designed for this occasion.

During her presentation, each candidate will be evaluated by the judges on the following points:

- answer to the question
- personality
- personal appearance
- community service work (from resume)

JUDGES CONSULTATION PERIOD

The judges will confer privately to select a Queen and first and second runner up.

ENTERTAINMENT WHILE JUDGES ARE OUT

THE CHALUMEAU QUARTET OF INDIANA UNIVERSITY

INTRODUCTION - SPECIAL GUEST - Dr. Arthur Flemming
United States Commissioner on Aging
Prior to the announcement of the first two runners-up and the 1976 Senior Queen, Steve Morse, singer and guitarist, shall perform a special selection.

CROWNING OF THE 1976 INDIANA SENIOR QUEEN

The coronation honors will be conducted by Governor Otis R. Bowen, M.D. by presenting the three finalists with a trophy and flowers. The newly selected senior queen will officially begin her reign as she is crowned by the Governor.

THANK YOU FOR EVERYTHING

QUEEN CONTEST COMMITTEE

Alice Bird, CHAIRMAN, Ft. Wayne
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Lavonne Norman, 1975 Queen, Linden

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STEVE MORSE of Ball State University

ANTIQUE AUTOMOBILES

Phil Hedback Jim Silvey

DECORATIONS

Waneda Cline, Indianapolis Dept. of Parks & Recreation

BICENTENNIAL BACKDROP

George Dawson, Indianapolis Dept. of Parks & Recreation

SPECIAL QUEEN THRONE

Maurice Mitchell

COVER CROWN DESIGN

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(Tribune Photo)

Seniors Win Cookie Bake-Off

The Floyd County Fair was the scene this year of the senior citizens cookie contest under the sponsorship of Floyd County Extension Homemakers and the Title VII Nutrition Program of the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc. in cooperation with the Floyd County 4-H Corp. Enthusiasm was evident in the 29 entries that were judged the second day of the Fair.

The first place winners were Anna Mae Finnegan for her "Pecan Dainties," Retta Brown for her "Persimmon Cookies" and Tessie Nirmaier for her "Lace Cookies." First place winners will receive a free trip to the Indiana State Fair, along with first place winners in Clark, Harrison and Scott Counties, where they will compete Aug 21 on the state level. State fair winners will receive case prizes and have their recipes published in the Senior Citizens Cookie Book.

Second place winners were: Cecile Bbcock, Stellas Konklin, Elnora Miller, Mamie Caudill, Ethel Nicholson, Ruth Dierking, Kathryn Arnold, Ruby Ashley, Hannah Mann, Pearl Horlander, Mildred Sanders, Flora Atkins, Virginia Mosley, Mrs. Raymond Harper, Dorothy Alexander, Margaret Lawrence, Lorena Dailey, Audra Gray, Lorena Barger, Emma Leffler, Ray Miller, and Mrs. Oral Baldwin. Cookies are on display at the Extension Homemakers booth in the 4-H Building.

The following recipes of the first place winners are sure to tempt any taste buds:

LACE COOKIES

Tessie Nirmaier

3 tbsp. flour
2 ¼ cups Old Fshion Oats
2 ⅓ cups Lt. Brown Sugar (1 lb.)
1 teaspoon vanilla
½ tsp. salt
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1 egg, slightly beaten
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Cookie Bake-Off

PECAN DAINTIES

Anna Mae Finnegan

8 oz. pkg. Cream Cheese
2 sticks butter
pinch salt
2 cups flour

Cream butter and cheese. Add flour and salt. Roll dough by tablespoonsful between hands and press into small muffin pans on bottom and sides to form a cup.

2 eggs, slightly beaten
1 ½ cups light brown sugar
1 tsp. vanilla
pecan pieces

Place ½ tsp. pecan pieces in bottom of each cup. Combine eggs, brown sugar and vanilla and mix Put scant teaspoon of filling over pecans in cups. Bake ½ hour at 325 degrees for 25 minutes. Makes 3 dozen.

PERSIMMON DELIGHTS

Retta Brown

3 sticks butter
1 cup sugar
1 egg
1 cup persimmon pulp
1 tsp. soda
1 cup dates
1 cup nuts
2 cups flour
1 tsp. cinnamon
½ tsp. cloves
½ tsp. nutmeg

Cream butter and sugar. Add egg and beat well. Combine persimmon pulp, soda, dates and nuts. Combine remaining ingredients and sift together. Add dry ingredients alternately with persimmon mixture to butter mixture. Drop by small teaspoonsful on Cookie Sheet. Bake at 350 degrees until firm.

ORANGE FROSTING

½ cup butter
1 box powdered sugar
concentrated orange juice
nutmeg

Combine butter and sugar. Add enough orange juice to make a frosting spreading consistancy. Spread on cooled cookies and sprinkle lightly with nutmeg.

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DON'T DROWN THEM

Don't drown potatoes in water when you are boiling them. You can use only a couple of cups of water for four medium-size spuds.

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Senior Queen Crowned

SENIOR QUEEN CROWNED — Edith Barker, center, will serve as Clark County's Senior Queen for 1976-77 after receiving the honor at last night's contest held at Clark Arms. Pictured from left are: Steve Whallen, chairman of the project for the Jeffersonville Jaycees; Mae Braun, second runnerup; Mrs. Barker; Daisy McDaniel, 1975 queen; and LaNora Resch, first runnerup.

Edith Barker of Jeffersonville was crowned the 1976 Clark County Senior Queen last night in a ceremony at the Clark Arms on West Market Street.

Mrs. Barker was chosen from a list of nine candidates by a three-judge panel based on her answers to questions and contributions to the community.

Daisy McDaniel, the 1975 Senior Queen, presented the crown and robe to Mrs. Barker after the judges announced their decision.

LaNora Resch was chosen first runnerup, with May Braun honored as second runnerup. Both are also from Jeffersonville.

Mrs. Barker, 66, is the mother of four children and has 11 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

She is a member of the First Presbyterian Church where she is president of the McCurdy Bible Class. She is also a member of the Business Women's Circle and Southeastern Rehabilitation Center Auxiliary.

Mrs. Barker also belongs to the Ensemble Club and American Association of Retired Persons in addition to working at the Little Angel Shop and Wall Street Nutrition Program.

"I love people and I love doing things for people," the newly-crowned queen said. "But I'm really surprised (about winning the contest). I didn't expect it."

Other candidates included Eva N. Jones, Beulah Cook, Ada Egan, Thelma L. Long, Ruby H. Hamilton and Edna Hart.

Anna Leitz, 95, was honored as the oldest grandmother in attendance while Clara Braun was honored for having the most grandchildren, 32.

The contest was sponsored by the Jeffersonville Jaycees and South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc.

BAKING WINNERS — The four first place winners in the Harvest Homecoming Pumpkin Baking Contest line up with their trophies. From left are, Nancy Rogers, Pinwheel Pumpkin pie; Bobbie Mathews, Pumpkin Cake; Karen Nelson, Pumpkin Bread and Ethel Nicholson, Orange Pumpkin Cookies. There were 58 entries in the contest this year.

Homecoming Pumpkin Baking Winners Named

The fifth annual Harvest Homecoming Pumpkin Baking Contest at McDonald Sewing Center had a total of 58 entries. That represents an increase of 24 over last years 34 entries. Of the 58 entries there were 10 pie, 12 cake, 22 bread and 14 cookie entries.

The winners in the pie catagory were Nancy Rogers, 1st place; Emma Ford, 2nd place; and Brenda Howerton, 3rd place. Cake winners were Bobbie Mathews, 1st place; Trillis Humphrey, 2nd place; and Calene Mattingly, 3rd place. Winners in the bread catagory were Karen Nelson, 1st; Sharon Kruel, 2nd; Pat Stepro, 3rd. Cookie winners were Ethel Nicholson, 1st; Retta Brown, 2nd; and Bonita Ford, 3rd. The first place winners ranged in age from 11 to 72 years of age.

Members of the 1976 Pumpkin Baking Contest Committee, under the vice-presidency of Thelma Bertrand, director of the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc., were Mary Lukemeier, chairman and director of the Title VII nutrition program of the Council for the Aging; Mary Green, area extension agent; Jurie Lindley and Alice Smith, both electric living consultants from Public Service Center; and Sonnye Carroll, area food and nutrition extension agent.

An item that has made its second appearance since the beginning of the Harvest Homecoming is the Pumpkin Bake-Off Cook Book. This year's edition featuring last year's winners can be obtained from the Council on Aging office at 317 E. 5th St., New Albany (948-8873).

Here are the recipes of the first place winners.

PINWHEEL PUMPKIN PIE
By NANCY ROGERS

4 eggs, beaten
1 lb. 13 oz. can pumpkin
1 cup granulated sugar
½ cup brown sugar (firmly Packed)
½ tsp. salt
2½ tsp. cinnamon
2 tsp. ginger
1¼ tsp. nutmeg
1 cup milk
1 two thirds cup sweetened condensed milk
2-9" pastry shells (unbaked)

Mix above ingredients. Place in shells and bake at 425 degree oven for about 25 minutes or until an inserted knife comes out clean.

TOPPING

1 can sliced peaches (1 lb.)
1 jar peach preserves (12 oz.)

Drain peaches and pat dry with a paper towel. Heat preserves, take a peach slice on a fork and dab into preserves and place on top of a cooled pie (pinwheel stripe). Chill well before serving.

PUMPKIN CAKE
By BOBBIE MATHEWS

2 cups sugar
4 eggs
1 cup Wesson oil
2 cups pumpkin
2 tsp. baking soda (dissolved in small amount of warm water)
2 cups sifted flour
1 tsp. baking powder
2 tsp. cinnamon
½ tsp. salt

Mix sugar, eggs, oil and baking soda together. Add dry ingredients and mix well. Add pumpkin and mix again. Pour into a well greased and floured bundt cake pan (or a 13" x 9" pan). Bake at 350 degrees for 35-40 minutes.

Cool at least 10 minutes and turn out on a cake plate. Cool completely before frosting.

CREAM CHEESE ICING

6 ozs. cream cheese (room temp.)
2 stick margarine (room temp.)
1 box powdered sugar
2 tsp. vanilla
1 cup chopped walnuts

Combine cream cheese and margarine. Add sugar and vanilla. Beat well. Stir in the nuts and frost cake after it has cooled.

PUMPKIN BREAD
By KAREN NELSON

3 cups sugar
4 beaten eggs
1 cup melted butter
1 tsp. vanilla
1 tsp. cinnamon
1 small can pumpkin (18 ozs.)
two thirds cup water
3½ cups flour
1½ tsp. baking soda
1 tsp. nutmeg
1 cup nuts

Mix all ingredients together and bake at 350 degrees for 1 hour. Bake in tin cans filled half full.

ORANGE PUMPKIN COOKIES
By ETHEL NICHOLSON

1 box spice cake mix
2 eggs
two thirds cup pumpkin
one third cup undiluted orange juice concentrate
1 tsp. cinnamon (or cloves)
one third cup water

Mix all ingredients together and pour into greased pan. Bake at 350 degrees until done and cool. Pour on glaze and cut into squares.

GLAZE

1 cup confectioners sugar
1 Tbsp. orange juice concentrate

Combine above and put on cookies before cutting into squares.

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Social Events

A senior citizens queen contest, representing Clark, Floyd, Scott and Harrison Counties was held in Jeffersonville. Pictured from left are Gail Shewmaker, third runner-up, Harrison County; Edith Barker, second runner-up, Clark County; Dorothy Alexander, first runner-up, Floyd County and Fannie Middleton, 1976 senior citizen queen of Southern Indiana, representing Scott County.

OFFER MEALS — Green Valley Convalescent Center has joined in the Title VII Nutrition program of the South Central Indiana Council of the Aging & Aged, Inc. Green Valley will provide "special diet" hot meals required by at least two elderly participants in the Title VII program, at no cost to the council for as long as possible. From left, Mary Lukemeier, nutrition project director, and volunteer Ray Miller take the first two dietary meals from Green Valley administrator Peter Graves and Thelma Wenning, food services supervisor.

(Tribune Photo)

Green Valley Center To Offer Meal Plan

"As a community service to elderly in the New Albany area, Green Valley Convalescent Center will be providing special diets through the Title VII Nutirition Program of the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc. at no cost to the agency," announced Thelma Bertrad, ececutive director of e council.

The Center was contacted as a result of federal guidelines requiring certification of special diets by a registered dieticion. The decision of, Peter Graves, Green Valley director, to provide a limited number of special diets free of charge will enable at least one or more persons to be added to the nutrition program.

"This will be possible through the contributions of the two participants currently receiving special diets," commented Mary Lukemeier, Nutrition Program director.

The purpose of the nutrition program is to serve a hot nutritious meal daily at noon, five days a week to people 60 and older. Although a small fee is suggested, each person is asked to pay according to his ability and no means test is given.

In addition to improving health through good nutrition," notes Mrs. Lukemeier, "we hope to be able to break the grip of isolation and loneliness in which many of our older persons find themselves."

The nutrition program in Area 14 (Floyd, Clark, Harrison and Scott Counties) is curre tly serving 500 meals a day with funding level of 328. This expanded service is made possible through volunteers, Church & Civic organizations, Green Thumb Employees and Centers and Transportation, funded through the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc. Of the nine area-wide sites the three in New Albany are located at Parkview Towers, Beachwood Community Center and Vance Court Recreation Cener.

There are 500 meals served daily catered by Lancaster Catering Service in Floyd and Calrk Counties. Of this number 150 are delivered on a five-day-a-week basis to shut-ins. It was under the direction of Frances Quinn, District 9 director of Church Women United that volunteers were originally contacted to implement the home bound meal service program.

There is a continuing need for volunteers to assist in providing this service which requires approximately one hour of time.

"Through the efforts of these unselfsih volunteers many people ar e able to remain in the homes longer and receive the warm person to person contact daily that they might not otherwise receive," Lukemeir concluded. "Ind addition, we are indebted to Mr. Graves and many churches, civic organizations, Floyd County Housing Authority and volunteers who are dedicated to the goal of enriching the lives of Older Americans."

Information about volunteer service opportunities is available through the Nutrition Office at 317 E. 5th St., 948-8873.

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Spinach
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Cole Slaw
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The Scott County JOURNAL 4 SCOTTSBURG, INDIANA Thursday, August 26, 1976

Activities Announced

"Not so busy" weeks are on schedule in the near future for senior citizens at the Scott County Senior House in Scottsburg, according to Mrs. Marge Julian, site director for the local center.

Mrs. Julian remarked that those over age 60 can enjoy bowling on Wednesday afternoon, a ceramics class at 1:00 p.m. Thursday, and weekly devotions hours, held on Friday at the center.

The Senior House van will be "sed Saturday, August 28, to ransport equipment and nusicians in the Scott County Musical Neighbors band who vill be performing at the ndiana State Fair from 12:30 .m. to 1:30 p.m. in the Senior Citizens Building in In-lianapolis, Mrs. Julian elated.

"If anybody is up at the fair his Saturday, be sure and stop by the Senior Building and say hi and listen to the music," she urged.

Lunches planned for the coming week of August 30 through September 3 include for MONDAY: Weiners and sauerkraut, mashed potatoes, rye bread, apricots, and raisins; TUESDAY: Fried chicken, sweet potatoes, green beans, rye bread, peaches, and peanut butter, WEDNESDAY: Meat loaf with gravy, chopped broccoli, mashed potatoes, white bread, pears, and peanut butter; THURSDAY: Baked turkey, parsley potatoes, green beans, white bread, pumpkin pie, and raisins; FRIDAY: Macaroni and cheese, stewed tomatoes, kale greens, a brownie, and peanut butter.

— THE CORYDON DEMOCRAT, Corydon, Ind., Wednesday, Aug. 27, 1975

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The Corydon, In., HARRISON COUNTY PRESS, Friday, August 29, 1975

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Don Collins (left) and Bill Shapinsky look over a chart of apartment color schemes made up for the Scottsburg Senior Housing Project recently by members of the housing corporation's Board of Directors.

Collins is the president of the board with Shapinsky a director and the new business manager for the senior housing project.

(Staff photo)

Directors Decide On Senior Housing Application Details

Several details involving resident applications for the Scottsburg Senior Housing Project were ironed out Thursday evening during a meeting of members of the senior housing corporation's Board of Directors.

All application forms, consisting of a single "worksheet" which must be filled out completely by potential residents, will be folded along with a sheet of information about the project into pre-labeled envelopes.

These applications, noted board president Don Collins, must be picked up by those interested starting September 1 at Scottsburg City Hall, and all forms must be mailed back to the board at the earliest possible date.

Post marks may play an inportant role in deciding who should be allowed an apartment at the 32-unit housing project on North Main Street, it was related, thus board members emphasized that all applications must be mailed and not returned by hand.

After this initial application is approved, the prospective tenant will be asked to sign a lease agreement and two copies of a tenant certification sheet provided by Farmers Home Administration (FmHA).

At that time, each tenant will receive a copy of the project regulations and must pay a damage deposit of $100.

The applications will not be available at City Hall until Wednesday, September 1, Collins stressed, with the decision on each application submitted not to be rendered until much later.

The board of directors also selected Bill Shapinsky as business manager for the senior housing project.

Shapinsky will be in charge of setting up accounts and files and will work for no fee until January 6, the annual meeting of the local corporation.

At that time, he will announce whether or not he intends to continue as housing business manager.

Should he continue in that role, he will relinquish his post on the board and a salary for the position will be determined at that time, it was decided.

Director Bourke Blocher related during the meeting that the frame for the last building--the community center--was moved in Thursday with all of the units now under roof except two and one of those is ready to be roofed, he said.

Crews lack a day's work in having the apartments half bricked and the first three units are already bricked and drywalled, Blocher reported.

No vandalism to the site has been reported ever since construction began, he added, crediting the patroling of the area frequently by city police.

Blocher suggested that construction crews concentrate on "filling in" around the apartments nearly completed so that ground can settle properly and sidwalks can be poured before heavy frosts set in.

"I'd sure hate to see residents wading around in the mud out there," he remarked, noting that banks are to be sodded and the rest of the area seeded.

Completion date on the project has been tentatively set for November, it was related, with some of the units to be finished before that time.

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"What really thrilled us, though, was that 42 of these persons decided to have lunch with us that day, too. That is a record for us," she exclaimed.

The Senior House, located on South Second Street in Scottsburg, is the site of a nutrition program which provides lunches to senior citizens at nominal cost.

It is also the location of many activities designed to interest senior citizens in their community and promote camaraderie among the elderly.

The blood pressure clinic, which is held at the center the first Tuesday of every month is a free service sponsored by the Scott County Heart Association in conjunction with the South Central Council for the Aging and Aged, advised Mrs. Naylor.

Technicians Larry Marshall and John Adams from Ross Ambulance manned the equipment that day, she said, as did volunteer Verna Sever, a retired nurse.

Scheduled for this week is a ceramics class at 1:00 p.m. Thursday and the weekly devotions session Friday with associate minister Irmal Elliott of the Scottsburg First Baptist Church officiating, stated Mrs. Naylor.

Also slated for the coming week of August 16 through 20 are meals including for MONDAY: Baked ham, northern beans, spinach, white bread, pineapple chunks, and raisins; TUESDAY: Beef, macaroni, and cheese casserole, cole slaw, mixed vegetables, corn bread, cake, and peanut butter and crackers; WEDNESDAY: Baked turkey, carrots, orange juice, rye bread, chocolate pie, and peanut butter; THURSDAY: Sloppy Joe sandwiches, buttered corn, green beans applesauce, and cheese and crackers; and FRIDAY: Fried chicken, baked potato with sour cream, Harvard beets, rye bread, apricots, and raisins.

Total meals served at the Senior House last week, advised Mrs. Naylor, were 157 with an additional 113 lunches carried out to elderly shut-ins by volunteers.

Centers and transportation programs are sponsored by the Council for Older Americans. Nutrition and programs such as the Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) are sponsored by the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged Inc. headquartered in New Albany.

Pumpkin Baking Contest Is Open To All Saturday

Saturday, Oct. 9, is the day for the annual Harvest Homecoming Pumpkin Baking Contest, according to Mary Lukemeier, contest chairman.

The contest, open to all age groups, is at 11 a.m. at McDonald Sewing Center, 218 Pearl St. New Albany.

Entrants may bake in any of four categories: pies, cakes, breads, and cookies.

To enter, bring the baked item in a disposable container covered with plastic wrap to McDonald's by 10:30 a.m. the day of the contest. Include a copy of the recipe and name, address and telephone number. Each recipe must include pumpkin as an ingredient.

Trophies in the Pumpking Baking Contest will be presented Sunday, Oct. 10 at 3:30 p.m. at the American Bank Lot, corner of Spring and Pearl Streets.

Winning recipes will be published in The Tribune.

Contestants may register in advance at the Harvest Homecoming Office or may simply bring their baked goods to the McDonald Sewing Center the day of the contest.

1975 Harvest Homecoming Prize Winning Pumpkin Recipes are now available in an attractive cookbook and may be purchased at the Title VII Nutirtion Office, 317 E. 5th St., or at the Senior Center Booth during the Harvest Homecoming celebration. Cost of the cookbooks is 25 cents.

Additional information on the Pumpkin Baking Contest may be obtained by contacting Mary Lukemeier (948-8873).

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Free Blood Pressure Clinic Set October 5

All senior citizens above age 60 are welcome to attend the next free blood pressure screening clinic at the Scott County Senior House scheduled for Tuesday, October 5, reminded site director Marge Julian this week.

The blood pressure clinic will begin at its usual time, 12:30 p.m., that day, said Mrs. Julian, and will end at 2:30 p.m.

The clinic is made possible through the efforts of individual volunteers as well as Ross Ambulance and the Scott County chapter of the American Heart Association.

Also on schedule for Senior House participants are bowling this afternoon (Wednesday) at Scottsburg Bowling Lanes and ceramics at 1:00 p.m. Thursday.

Reverend Larry Nichols of the New Providence Baptist Church will also be on hand Friday for the center's weekly devotions hour.

Mrs. Julian said that a group from the Senior House will also visit the Scott Villa Convalescent Nursing Center at 1:00 p.m. Friday for a bingo match.

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Those over age 60 living in Scott County are eligible to participate in the meals program, conducted each weekday at the center except holidays, noted Mrs. Julian.

Reservations must be called into the center by 2:30 p.m. the previous afternoon and the Senior House's telephone number is 752-4134, she related.

Last week, 149 meals were served at the center with an additional 123 lunches being carried out by volunteers Daisy Hill and Nadine Carter, reported the site director.

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Nutrition Program Celebrates Its Third Year Of Operation

The Title VII Nutrition Program celebrated its third year of operation at the nine meal sites located in area 14. Title VII is a program of the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc. and serves senior citizens in Clark, Floyd, Harrison and Scott Counties.

Thelma Bertrand, executive director of the Council for the Aging, noted that four meal sites were opened three years ago in Clark County and since then, these sites have provided nutritionally sound meals to people 60 years of age and older at a cost their budgets can afford.

In Clark County the hospitality nutrition sites are located at the Friendship Community Center in Charlestown and Clark Arms Apartment, Gilt Edge Baptist Church and Wall Street United Methodist Church in Jeffersonville. The sites serve a noon meal to residents in Clark County each Monday through Friday.

Acknowledging the need for the nutrition program, Mary Lukemeier, Title VII Nutrition Director, stated that many health problems that develop in later years are a direct result of poor eating habits. Factors in declining nutritional health can often be traced to the physical inability to cook well balanced meals, increased insolation generated by living alone and a reduced income making the purchase of nutritional food a hardship on older Americans.

Attempting to eliminate poor eating habits and providing one well balanced meal daily, the nutrition program also alleviates loneliness by providing a family type atmosphere at the various hospitality sites.

The nutrition program runs smoothly with the help of three to five volunteers daily per site. In addition to the meals served at the sites, meals are delivered each day by volunteer and Green Thumb employees to shut-ins. The volunteers that deliver meals to the homebound elderly are organized through the Church Women United organization. Other volunteers are provided through local churches, civic organizations and the Retired Senior Volunteer Program.

In the three year period and nutrition program has increased from serving 150 meals a day to 500 meals per day. The current level of service is possible because of the cooperation provided by Council for Older Americans, Retired Senior Volunteer Program, Green Thumb, Jeffersonville Housing Authority, Gilt Edge Baptist Church, Charlestown Housing Authority, Wall Street United Methodist Church and the community.

More information concerning participation in and volunteering for the Nutrition Program can be obtained by contacting the Title VII Office, 317 East Fifth Street, New Albany.

Local Senior House Needs Meal Volunteers

Scott County Senior House site director Marge Julian announced this week that the local center still needs more volunteers, specifically for the lunch carry-out service for elderly shut-ins.

"We try to help everyone who needs our assistance and wants to receive a hot meal each weekday," she said, adding, "If more volunteers were available to deliver lunches, we could help more people."

The lunches are sent to persons who are unable to cook for themselves, she noted, and who are over age 60.

Volunteers last week at the center were Daisy Hill and Nadine Carter, she said.

Any group or person willing to donate an hour of time each day or on certain days of the week may call the center at 752-4134 for more information, Mrs. Julian advised.

BIRTHDAY SLICES—The Title VII Nutrition Program of the South Central Indiana Council for the Aged and Aging, Inc. celebrated its third anniversary of operation Friday with a birthday cake and luncheon for volunteers and dignitaries as well as the elderly served one hot meal daily (lunch) by the federally-funded program. Margaret Martin, left, and Marilyn Peel, both program volunteers, and Esther Newkirk, right, Parkview Towers site director, cut birthday slices from the cake for those in attendance.

(Tribune Photo)

Nutrition Program For Aged Notes 3rd Birthday

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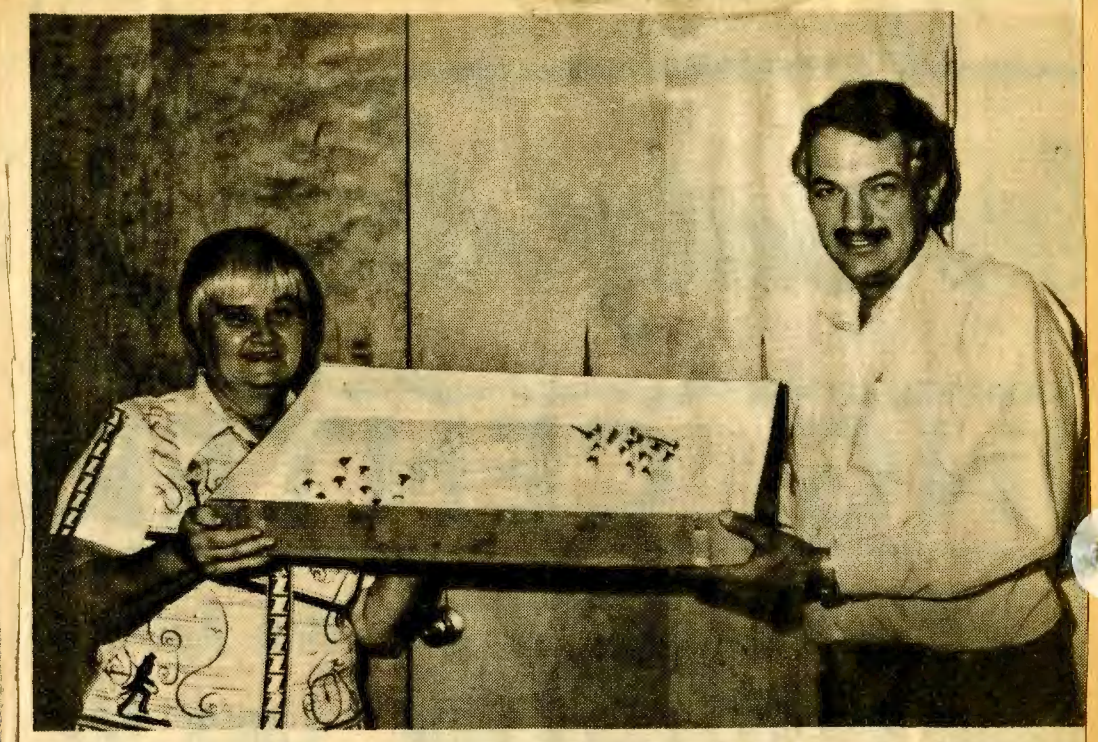

The Title VII Nutrition Program, sponsored by the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc. celebrated its third anniversary at meal sites throughout the Southern Indiana area. Jean Frickhoeffer, left, site director at the Friendship Community Center meal site, Charlestown, is pictured above with Mayor Clay Hall. Other hospitality sites in Clark County are located at the Clark Arms High Rise Apartment, Gilt Edge Baptist Church and Wall Street United Methodist Church, all in Jeffersonville. Attempting to eliminate poor eating habits and provide one well balanced meal daily, the Nutrition Program served a noon meal to people 60 years of age and older each Monday through Friday.

The Clark Arms Apartment hospitality site of the Title VII Nutrition Program, sponsored by the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc. observed its third anniversary with a special celebration. Volunteers who work at the Clark Arms hospitality site, pictured from left are Margie Monrow, Marie Allen, LaNora Resch, site director, Bessie Swank and Edna Hart. Honored guests attending the celebration were Eulalia Kratz, a representative from Mayor Richard Vissing's office; Thomas Bibb, manager of the Housing Authority and Mary E. Shannon, a representative of the South Central Council for the Aged and Aging.

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1st Homecoming President Is Amazed At Fast Growth

Now that the 9th Harvest Homecoming festivities have come to a close, a period of reflection has set in -- ruminations of Homecomings past.

It just so happened that the man who was one of those who started it all, was around this morning for the final cleanup detail.

Henry Ramsier, the first president of the association, and who has been a great part of it for its eight years, true to the end he was giving his retired time today to help his former associates at Public Service Indiana in removing the special lighting equipment from the standards on the streets.

STARTED WITH $150

He lended his practiced hand for the original festival, eight years ago, and this morning he was finishing the job, by helping to "bring Pearl Street back to normal."

"I well recall," he said, while wrapping a wire around the roller on the truck, "how we started out with a budget of $150."

The first funds which the first committee raised for an affair which has become the second biggest of its kind in Indiana, he recalled, "came from a pancake fry which was held at the New Albany Inn.

"We cleared $150 on that breakfast," he continued, "and that hundred and a half was our first budget."

BEGAN WITH 9 BOOTHS

Over the years, the Festival budget has built up to $23,000, which still is a small amount in view of the magnitude that the Festival of 1976 has achieved.

"We had nine booths in the first Festival," he went on, "and last week they were in the hundreds."

Ramsier noted that the earlier affairs were more "local" than those that followed."

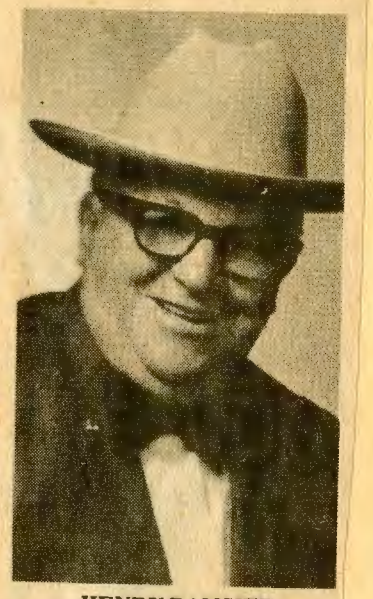
The first Festival, he said was envisioned as a 'homecoming' for Floyd Countians 'away from home' and a lure to get them back.

Now, he went on, "the Festival has become a magnet of attraction for thousands coming to New Albany for the first time."

How much bigger will the Harvest Homecoing celebrations for the future get to be.. he was asked.

"That's hard to say."

This pioneer in the movement says he continues to be amazed at the growth of an event that started out in such a modest way – with a pancake breakfast back eight years ago, and $150, "which looked like a lot of money."



HENRY RAMSIER
....amazed at growth

READY FOR BAKERS—Memabers of the Harvest Homecoming Pumpkin Baking Contest committee met this week to complete plans for the annual contest Saturday Oct. 9, at 11 a.m. at McDonal Sewing Center. Committee members are seated, Mary Lukemeier, chairman of the Pumpkin Baking contest, and Roy McDonald, manager of McDonald Sewing Center. Committee members standing left to right, are Sunnye Carroll, area Food and Nutrition Extension Agent; Jurie Lindley and Alice Smith, both Public Service of Indiana Electric living consulatants.

(Photo by Vernon Niemeier)

Nutrition Program's Third Anniversary Is Celebrated

The Title VII Nutrition program celebrated the third anniversary of its inception at nine meal sites throughout Scott, Clark, Floyd, and Harrison counties Friday, October 8.

Thelma Bertrand, executive director for the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged Inc., noted that the meal site at 183 South Second Street in Scottsburg opened on April 29, 1974 when it became a part of the Council's Area 14.

"The Scott County center has continuously provided nutritionally-sound meals to people 60 years of age or older at a cost their budgets could afford," she commented that day.

Catered by Lancaster Catering Service of New Albany, the local meal site serves an average of 107 meals at noon each week.

The nutrition program runs smoothly with the assistance of three to five volunteers daily per site, advised Mary Lukemeier, Title VII nutrition director. In addition to the meals served at site throughout Area 14, 150 meals are delivered each day by volunteers and Green Thumb employees to elderly shut-ins unable to cook for themselves, she said.

Mrs. Lukemeier expressed her thanks to local volunteers who deliver these meals to home-bound residents as well as the people who assist through churches, civic organizations, and the Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) who support the nutrition program.

Joining in festivities that Friday at the Senior House were Scottsburg Mayor Blake Burns, Fannie Middleton Area 14 Senior Fair Queen, and Dorothy Linzay, former site director.

Senior Citizen Menu Listed

The Ohio Valley Opportunities Program Center, Austin, has released its menu for the senior citizen meal program for Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Oct. 18, 19 and 20.

The meals will be served at the center, 12 Plum st. at 11:30 a.m. Reservations should be made by 4 p.m. the previous day, and may be made by calling the center at 794-2914.

Carry-out orders will be available for those who are disabled. For more information anyone may call the center.

The menu for the three-day period is as follows:

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MONDAY

Fried chicken, mashed potatoes, tossed salad and fruit jello.

TUESDAY

Roast beef, mashed potatoes, green beans and prunes.

WEDNESDAY

Ham and beans, mustard greens, corn bread and peaches.

THE CORYDON DEMOCRAT, Corydon, Ind., Wednesday, Oct. 13, 1976

Title VII nutrition program celebrates third birthday

The Title VII nutrition program celebrated its third birthday of operation at the nine meal sites located in area 14 on Friday, Oct. 8. Title VII is a program of the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc. and serves Senior Citizens in Clark, Floyd, Harrison, and Scott counties.

Thelma Bertrand, Executive Director of the Council for the Aging, noted that the meal site opened three years ago in Harrison County and since then, this site "has provided nutritionally sound meals to people 60 years of age and older at a cost their budgets can afford."

In Harrison County, the hospitality-nutrition site is located at the Harrison County Senior Citizens Center, 123 Mulberry St. Catered by Lancaster Catering, this site serves a noon meal to over 163 residents of Harrison County each Monday through Friday.

Acknowledging the need for the nutrition program, Mary Lukemeier, Title VII Nutrition Director, stated that many health problems that develop in later years are a direct result of poor eating habits. Factors in declining nutritional health can often be traced to the physical inability to cook well balanced meals, increased isolation generated by living alone, and a reduced income making the purchase of nutritious food a hardship on older Americans.

Attempting to eliminate poor eating habits by providing one well balanced meal daily, the nutrition program also alleviates loneliness by providing a family type atmosphere at the various hospitality sites.

The nutrition program runs smoothly with the help of three-five volunteers daily per site, noted Mrs. Lukemeier. In addition to the meals served at the sites through Area 14, 150 meals are delivered each day by volunteers and Green Thumb employees to shut-ins. "The Nutrition Program owes a debt of gratitude to Church Women United, Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) and the many Church and Civic organizations for their support of the program," added Mrs. Lukemeier.

Joining the festivities at The Harrison County Senior Citizens Center were: John Frank, Judy Feiock, Alliene Ehalt, Georgia Reich, Sherry Melton, Hazel Zenor, also Mary Benton and Bobbie Ann Scholl of The Paper, and the many volunteers who are so vital to the program's success. "Many of the volunteers who serve here have helped since the program began, while others have served for a shorter period of time," commented Ola Brandenburg, site director, "But they are all very special to me and to the program."

In the three year period that it has been in operation, the nutrition program has increased from serving 150 meals a day to the present 500 meals per day. The current level of service is possible because of the fine cooperation provided by Council for Older Americans, RSVP, Green Thumb, the May and Joe Rhoads Foundation, and the community.

"The nutrition program has received national acceptance to the extent that the demand far exceeds resources available," noted Mrs. Bertrand.

"We are currently awaiting the passage of a bill that would enable more meals to be served and new hospitality

Meals Program Begins

A new Ohio Valley Opportunities (OVO) meals program will begin Monday, October 18, at the OVO program center in Austin, it was announced this week by a spokeswoman.

The program is open to any person age 60 or over with meals to be served Monday through Wendesday at the program center.

There will also be carry-out lunches available for disabled elderly unable to cook for themselves, it was related.

Those wishing reservations must call the center at 794-2914 before 4:00 p.m. the previous day. Meals will be served at 11:30 a.m. on the designated days, the spokesman said.

Lunches scheduled for the first week of the program include for MONDAY: Fried chicken, mashed potatoes, tossed salad, and fruit jello; TUESDAY: Roast beef, mashed potatoes, green beans, and prunes; and WEDNESDAY: Ham and Beans, mustard greens, corn bread, and peaches.

Meals are being catered by the Platter Cafe in Austin.

The local OVO program center is located at 12 Plum Street.

ATTENTION!

SCOTTSBURG SENIOR HOUSING PROJECT

Priority Deadline For Residents Of Scottsburg and Scott County Is October 20th.

If you are interested in applying for residency in the Scottsburg Senior Housing Project, you should pick up the appropriate forms at Scottsburg City Hall before October 20. After this date, residents of Scott County will lose their priority status and applications from other parts of the State will be considered on an equal basis.

FmHA Approved **North Main St.**

Nurse Margaret Buchanan (left) adjusts her instruments as she takes a blood pressure reading for Mrs. Celia Stark, the 1000th person to have her blood pressure checked free of charge at the Scott County Senior House.

The program is co-sponsored by the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and the Scott County chapter of the American Heart Association in cooperation with volunteer nurses and Ross Ambulance.

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1976

Mayor Richard Vissing is pictured above with Young Edward Wright at the Title VII Nutrition Program celebration, held at Gilt Edge Baptist Church in Jeffersonville. Mr. Young is among local residents who receives a noon meal daily at Gilt Edge Baptist Church, sponsored by the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc. The celebration was in observance of the program's third anniversary.

Senior House Events Set For Next Week

The Scott County Senior House will have its normal schedule of activities again disrupted during the coming week because of the observance of Veterans Day Thursday, November 11, reminded Marge Julian, site director, this week.

Activities planned for the rest of the week include ceramics Thursday at 1:00 p.m. and the Friday devotions hour with Reverend Phil Farnsley of the Little York Christian Church as guest minister, Mrs. Julian said.

In addition, the site director stated that senior citizens from the local center will visit the Scottsburg Nursing Home Monday, November 8, to talk with residents there.

Although the center will be closed November 11, Mrs. Julian said the ceramics class will be held as usual that afternoon at the Ceramic Palace.

She reported that meals will be served every day except next Thursday because of the holiday.

Lunches on schedule that week will include for MONDAY: Beef manhattan, mashed potatoes, kale greens, white bread, apple pie, and cheese slices; TUESDAY: Fried chicken, baked potato with sour cream, carrots, rye bread, pears in jello, and peanut butter; WEDNESDAY: Spaghetti with meat sauce, tossed salad, mixed vegetables, peaches, and cheese and crackers; and FRIDAY: Fried fish, buttered corn, green beans, corn bread, apricots, and raisins.

Meals served at the Senior House last week totalled 129, Mrs. Julian noted, with an additional 105 lunches carried out to elderly shut-ins by volunteers Nadine Carter, Daisy Hill, and Judy Cozart.

Reservations for meals at the Senior House may be made by calling the center at 752-4134 before 2:00 p.m. the previous day, the site director said.

The Senior House is open from 9:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, except holidays, and is located at 183 South Second Street in Scottsburg.

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In Clark County the hospitality nutrition sites are located at the Friendship Community Center in Charlestown and Clark Arms Apartment, Gilt Edge Baptist Church and Wall Street United Methodist Church in Jeffersonville. The sites serve a noon meal to residents in Clark County each Monday through Friday.

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In the three year period and nutrition program has increased from serving 150 meals a day to 500 meals per day. The current level of service is possible because of the cooperation provided by Council for Older Americans, Retired Senior Volunteer Program, Green Thumb, Jeffersonville Housing Authority, Gilt Edge Baptist Church, Charlestown Housing Authority, Wall Street United Methodist Church and the community.

More information concerning participation in and volunteering for the Nutrition Program can be obtained by contacting the Title VII Office, 317 East Fifth Street, New Albany.

OVO Receives $75,000 Grant To Fund Progra

Ninth District Congressman Lee H. Hamilton has been advised by the Community Services Administration that Ohio Valley Opportunities, Inc. (OVO) has received a grant of $75,000, according to an announcement this week from the congressman's office.

The grant is effective on December 1, 1976, and is to run for twelve months.

The funds are to be used for a number of programs, including organization of an emergency loan training of OVO's basic benefits pr low-income client establishment of community counc ferson, Jennings, Counties.

The Scott County JOURNAL SCOTTSBURG INDIANA
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Scottsburg, Indiana

Senior Citizens Tour Nashville

The regular meeting and birthday dinner for Senior Citizens of Scott Co., was attended by a large crowd on October 12.

Katherine Long and Ella Jennings celebrated birthdays.

The blood pressure unit provided by Ross Ambulance was on hand. Every one is urged to take advantage of this free service during the hours of 12 to 2 the second Tuesday of each month.

All Senior Citizens are welcome to participate in the activities provided by the O.V.O. program.

The tour to Nashville was held on October 15 with a van-load attending this annual event.

Cards and bingo were enjoyed during the social hour.

Mary Jackson of Madison's O.V.O. office was a visitor. Ruth Payne and Mae Johnston became new members.

If anyone needs transportation, they may call 794-2914 according to a spokesperson.

OVO Menu Set

A menu of hot lunches to be served at the Ohio Valley Opportunities (OVO) program center in Austin November 1, 2, and 3 was released this week by Mary Riley, office manager.

Meals will include for MONDAY: Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes and gravy, kale greens, and peach pie; TUESDAY: Baked chicken and dressing, mashed potatoes, lima beans, and applesauce; and WEDNESDAY: Beef stew, cole slaw, corn bread, and fruit.

Mature Living

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Bicentennial Plans Made

Several different types of activities are planned during 1976 as Older Hoosiers join in their communities' celebrations of the two-hundredth anniversary of the American Revolution.

In addition to the red, white and blue banners, Fourth of July parades and patriotic ceremonies which will characterize the festivities scheduled to occur around the state, many are finding the Bicentennial year an appropriate time to look seriously at the American past and the American future.

A renewed interest in local, as well as state and national history, is focusing attention on the memories of the state's older citizens.

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Bills Important to Older Hoosiers

The Indiana General Assembly is now meeting. The list of bills introduced to this session reflects the legislature's growing interest in the needs of Older Hoosiers.

Several of the bills to benefit the elderly were introduced by the Joint Interim Study Committee on the Problems of the Aged.

This group, chaired by Rep. Mendle Adams of Marion, also hosted the first Indiana State Legislative Work Conference on Aging on Dec. 3, 1975.

Other members of this committee were Rep. James Jontz, Williamsport; Rep. Marion Bushemi, Gary; Rep. Richard Bray, Martinsville; Rep. John Ennis, Terre Haute; Rep. Elmer MacDonald, Fort Wayne; Sen. Leo Sullivan, Peru; Sen. King Telle, Valparaiso; Sen. Burnett Bauer, South Bend; and Sen. Rodney Piper, Muncie.

A group of special importance to legislation in the field of aging is the House Standing Committee on the Aged and Aging chaired by Rep. Bushemi. Other members of this committee are Rep. John Day, Indianapolis; Rep. Dennis Avery, Evansville; Rep. William Cochran, New Albany; Rep. Catherine Van Arsdale, Indianapolis; Rep.

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Alice Bird Named to Commission

Gov. Otis R. Bowen, M.D., has named Alice Bird of Ft. Wayne to the Indiana Commission on Aging. Mrs. Bird replaces Dr. Nathan L. Salon who died in November.

Mrs. Bird, Indiana's 1974 Senior Queen, is also on the state advisory committee, the coordinating council, and the steering committee for the Senior Citizens Building at the State Fair.

In other action, Gov. Bowen reappointed Commission members Samuel E. Wells, Sr., Gary; Anita J. Burrous, Peru; Clemens A. Warn, Indianapolis; and Edna Troth Walker, Orleans.

Some visitors to the Senior Citizens Building at the Indiana State Fair last summer were surprised to find Governor Otis R. Bowen, M.D., posing for Kokomo sculptress Mildred Helmuth, 72, as part of the Senior Citizen art show.

On Oct. 10, Mrs. Helmuth presented the finished sculpture to Governor Bowen.

Shown in the picture (left to right) are Governor Bowen, Mrs. Bowen, Mrs. Helmuth, and her husband Dewey Helmuth.

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Dr. Nathan L. Salon, 1897-1975

Dr. Nathan L. Salon, prominent Fort Wayne physician and surgeon and charter member of the Indiana Commission on the Aging and Aged, was internationally known in the field of Gerontology.

As one of the founders of the Commission, he was dedicated to the mission of making life more rewarding for Older Hoosiers and was the living example that older persons can remain active and productive.

He was still conducting an active practice when he was stricken and still devoting a great deal of time to lecturing and writing.

Dr. Salon was truly a great man of spiritual warmth with a great concern for his fellow man. Volumes could be written of his fine character, his refreshing sense of humor, and his many contributions to his community, state, and nation; but we feel the newspaper clipping of his home community, *The Fort Wayne News Sentinel,* on November 25, 1975, said it well in the following editorial:

"Rarely is a human pleasured with the opportunity to live the kind of life which best illustrates what he or she is most knowledgeable in and advocates.

But Dr. Nathan L. Salon, who died Monday, more than amply filling his allotted three score years and 10, was one of these. Dr. Salon, a pioneer in the science of aging and the aged, demonstrated, virtually until his final hours, that advancing years have no relationship to a decline in mental powers, enthusiasm or interest in the wide variety of research in all areas the modern age provides.

A charter member of the Indiana Commission on Aging and the Aged, Dr. Salon served on the Commission until his death and was reappointed to it by the state's governors during that period. In addition, the Fort Wayne physician brought renown to his home town by serving on national and international bodies in the field.

This past summer, Dr. Salon was privileged to attend the 10th International Conference on Social Gerontology in Israel as the Hoosier representative. And Governor Bowen, himself a physician and appreciative of Dr. Salon's work in the field, cited the Fort Wayne doctor for his contributions to the Governor's Commission over his years of service.

The list of organizations Dr. Salon belonged to in the field of Gerontology is formidable. But he disproved the ancient saying about the prophet being without honor on his home turf. Dr. Salon organized and served as first president of Senior Citizens of Fort Wayne. Much of his practice in recent years was devoted to older patients and their problems.

Too often, interests as vital as Dr. Salon's in gerontology tend to narrow their holder's viewpoints to rather limited purviews. Not so Dr. Salon, who was widely read, intellectually curious and much taken with all things impining on one human's relations and reactions with another.

Dr. Salon will, of course, be missed most by his family to whom he was devoted. The rest of us will benefit, in the years ahead, because of the path he trod."

Bills Important to Older Hoosiers

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Richard Wathen, Jeffersonville; Rep. John Blevins, Anderson; Rep. John Coldren, Portland; Rep. Adams, Rep. Jontz; and Rep. Bray.

Rice, Terkhorn New Directors in Areas 9 & 10

Miss Jane Rice has been appointed area agency director in Area 9 and Mary Jo Terkhorn has been named director of Area 10.

With these appointments Indiana now has a director in each of its 16 area agencies on aging.

Miss Rice has a master's degree in education from Ball State University. She has worked as the adult education specialist for the Comprehensive Manpower program and as a coordinator for the Ball State Institute of Gerontology.

Area 9 includes Wayne, Union, Rush, Fayette and Franklin Counties.

Miss Terkhorn holds a master's degree in recreation from Indiana University and has been director of the RSVP program at the Center for Older Americans in Bloomington.

Area 10 includes Monroe and Owen Counties.

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Indiana Commission on Aging and Aged Directory for 1976

The Indiana Commission on Aging and Aged consists of 16 members appointed by the Governor. Eleven are selected from congressional districts and five are appointed at large.

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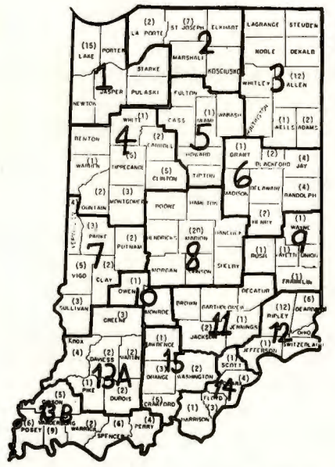

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Indiana Commission on Aging and Aged — Calendar of Events for 1976

JANUARY

Jan. 27, Tues.—Area 7 Hearing on Area Plan, Terre Haute House, 7th & Wabash, Terre Haute, Indiana 47527, 2:00 P.M.

FEBRUARY

Feb. 1-2, Sun.-Mon.—Institute on Religion and Aging Planning Session, Yokefellow Institute, Richmond.
Feb. 3, Tues.—Title VII Technical Review Committee Meeting, Commission Conference Room, 10:00 A.M.
Feb. 5, Thurs.—Area 12 Hearing on Area Plan, Dillsboro Civic Club Building, Dillsboro, Indiana, 2:00 P.M.
Feb. 12, Thurs.—Advisory Council Executive Committee Meeting, Quality Inn, 1530 North Meridian, 10:30 A.M.
Feb. 12-13, Thurs-Fri.—Area Agency Directors' and Title VII Project Directors' Meeting, Bloomington, Indiana.
Feb. 18, Wed.—Commission Meeting, Quality Inn, 1530 North Meridian, 10:00 A.M.-3:00 P.M.
Feb. 19, Thurs.—Area 14 Hearing on Area Plan, Clark Arms, 117 W. Market St., Jeffersonville, Indiana, 2:00 P.M.
Feb. 20, Fri.—Area 15 Hearing on Area Plan.

MARCH

Mar. 2, Tues.—Title VII Technical Review Committee Meeting, Commission Conference Room, 10:00 A.M.
Mar. 11, Thurs.—Advisory Council Executive Committee Meeting, Quality Inn, 1530 North Meridian, 10:30 A.M.
Mar. 11-12, Thurs.-Fri.—Area Agency Directors' and Title VII Project Directors' Meeting, Quality Inn, 1530 North Meridian.
Mar. 17, Wed.—22nd Annual Kirkpatrick Conference, Ball State Student Center.
Mar. 17, Wed.—Commission Meeting, Muncie, Indiana.
Mar. 19, Fri.—Area 10 Hearing on Area Plan, Center for Older Americans, Bloomington, Indiana, 10:30 A.M.
Mar. 23, Tues.—Area 2 Hearing on Area Plan.
Mar. 24, Wed.—Area 1 Hearing on Area Plan.

APRIL

Apr. 1, Thurs.—Area 13-B Hearing on Area Plan, Buckner Towers' Community Room, 717 Cherry Street, Evansville, Indiana, 2:00 P.M.
Apr. 2, Fri.—Area 13-A Hearing on Area Plan.
Apr. 6, Tues.—Title VII Technical Review Committee Meeting, Commission Conference Room, 10:00 A.M.
Apr. 8, Thurs.—Advisory Council Meeting, Quality Inn, 1530 North Meridian, Executive Committee 10:30 A.M., General Session 12:30 P.M.
Apr. 8-9, Thurs.-Fri.—Area Agency Directors Meeting, Quality Inn, 1530 North Meridian.
Apr. 19-20, Mon.-Tues.—Senior Center Workshop, Pilgram Inn, Indianapolis.
Apr. 20, Tues.—State Meals on Wheels Conference, Bloomington, Indiana.
Apr. 21, Wed.—Commission Meeting.
Apr. 23, Fri.—Area 3 Hearing on Area Plan.
Apr. 30, Fri.—Older Americans Sabbath.

MAY

Older Americans Month
May 1-2, Sat.-Sun.—Older Americans Sabbath.
May 4, Tues.—Primary Election — State Offices Closed.
May 6, Thurs.—Title VII Technical Review Committee Meeting, Commission Conference Room, 10:00 A.M.
May 7, Fri.—Area 6 Hearing on Area Plan, Westminster Village, Muncie, Indiana, 1:00 P.M.
May 10-11, Mon.-Tues.—Indiana Senior Citizens Association Conference, Stouffers Inn, Indianapolis.
May 12, Wed.—Annual State Coordinating Council on Aging Meeting, Stouffers Inn, Indianapolis.
May 13, Thurs.—Advisory Council Executive Committee Meeting, Quality Inn, 1530 North Meridian, 10:30 A.M.
May 13-14, Thurs.-Fri.—Area Agency Directors' & Title VII Project Directors Meeting, Quality Inn, 1530 N. Meridian.
May 18, Tues.—Area 9 Hearing on Area Plan
May 19, Wed.—Commission Meeting
May 27, Thurs.—Area 11 Hearing on Area Plan
May 31, Mon.—Memorial Day, State Offices Closed.

JUNE

June 2, Wed.—State Plan Hearing, North Monticello, Indiana.
June 3, Thurs.—Title VII Technical Review Committee Meeting, Commission Conference Room, 10:00 A.M.
June 9, Wed.—State Plan Hearing, South Bedford, Indiana.
June 10, Thurs.—Advisory Council Meeting, Quality Inn, 1530 N. Meridian, Executive Committee 10:30 A.M., General Session 12:30 P.M.
June 10-11, Thurs.-Fri.—Area Agency Directors Meeting, Quality Inn, 1530 N. Meridian.
June 12, Sat.—Annual Rose Festival, Senior Citizens Day, Hillsdale Nursery, 7800 Shadeland Avenue, Indianapolis, Indiana.
June 16, Wed.—State Plan Hearing, Central Indianapolis, Indiana.
June 16, Wed.—Commission Meeting.
June 21-22, Mon.-Tues.—I&R and Public Information Conference, Indianapolis.

JULY

July—Older Hoosiers will join in the Bicentennial Celebration.

AUGUST

Area Days at the Indiana State Fair
August 19, Thurs.—Area 8.
August 20, Fri.—Queen's Day.
August 21, Sat.—Area 2.
August 22, Sun.—Areas 3 and 4.
August 23, Mon.—Areas 5 and 6.
August 24, Tues.—Areas 7 and 9.
August 25, Wed.—Areas 10 and 11.
August 26, Thurs.—Areas 12 and 13A.
August 27, Fri.—Area 13B.
August 28, Sat.—Areas 14 and 15.
August 29, Sun.—Area 1, Closing date at Senior Citizens Building of the Indiana State Fair.

SEPTEMBER

Sept. 6, Mon.—Labor Day, State Offices Closed.
Sept. 8, Wed.—Title VII Technical Review Committee Meeting, Commission Conference Room, 10:00 A.M.
Sept. 9, Thurs.—Advisory Council Executive Committee Meeting, Quality Inn, 1530 N. Meridian, 10:30 A.M.
Sept. 9-10, Thurs.-Fri.—Area Agency Directors Meeting, Quality Inn, 1530 N. Meridian.
Sept. 15, Wed.—Commission Meeting, 10:00 A.M.

OCTOBER

Oct. 5, Tues.—Title VII Technical Review Committee, Commission Conference Room, 10:00 A.M.
Oct. 6-7-8, Wed.-Thurs.-Fri.—Governor's Conference on the Handicapped.
Oct. 8, Fri.—Area 5 Hearing on Area Plan, Calvary Presbyterian Church, 701 Spencer Street, Logansport, Indiana, 2:00 P.M.
Oct. 10-11-12, Sun.-Mon.-Tues.—Governor's Conference on Aging, Executive Inn, Evansville, Indiana.
Meetings to be Held During Conference
State Advisory Council Meeting.
State Coordinating Council Meeting.
Area Agency Directors and Title VII Project Directors Meeting.
Commission Meeting.
Oct. 11, Mon.—Columbus Day, State Offices Closed.

NOVEMBER

Nov. 2, Tues.—Election Day, State Offices Closed.
Nov. 3, Wed.—Title VII Technical Review Committee Meeting, Commission Conference Room, 10:00 A.M.
Nov. 8, Mon.—Advisory Council Executive Committee Meeting, Quality Inn, 1530 N. Meridian, 10:00 A.M.
Nov. 8-9, Mon.-Tues.—Area Agency Directors & Title VII Project Directors Meeting, Quality Inn, 1530 N. Meridian.
Nov. 11, Thurs.—Veterans Day, State Offices Closed.
Nov. 17, Wed.—Commission Meeting, 10:00 A.M.
Nov. 25, Thurs.—Thanksgiving Day, State Offices Closed.
Nov. 26, Fri.—State Offices Closed.

DECEMBER

Dec. 24, Fri.—State Offices Closed.
Dec. 25, Sat.—Christmas Day, State Offices Closed.

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Clinton Co. Cites Lohsl And Burgen

Ray Lohsl, Clinton County Council on Aging president, and Charles Burgen, administrator of the Paul Phillippe Human Resources Center in Frankfort, were named winners of the Clinton County Citizen of the Year Award for 1976.

The selection was made by a committee at *The Times,* a Frankfort newspaper, and was based on nominations from the public.

According to *The Times,* it was the first occasion in the six-year history of the contest that co-winners had been named.

"The committee felt it was impossible to honor one of these men without honoring the other," said *Times* Associate Publisher John Mitchell.

"Two years ago we had few programs designed for the elderly of Clinton County. Today the elderly have their own facility, meal sites and wide range of activities."

Area 3 and WANE Put Show On TV

WANE-TV of Ft. Wayne and the Area 3 Agency on Aging have combined efforts to produce a bi-monthly half-hour television show focusing on older adults.

The premier show, telecast the first week in January, took viewers for a ride on the "Bluffton Express," a bus that serves the elderly of Wells County.

Bluffton Mayor William Fryback; Maurice Endwright, executive director of the Indiana Commission on Aging; Geneva Micklitsch, president of the Wells County Council; Mrs. Patricia Streeter, area agency director, and Mr. Irving Button, president of the Area 3 Advisory Council, were also featured on the show.

The next segment will present the Foster Grandparents program, according to Ms. Barbara Knight who will produce the shows.

Ms. Knight says credit for the project should go to Becky Haxby, WANE public service coordinator. The station is providing equipment and crew to film the show and is broadcasting it as a public service.

The show is aired between 12:00 and 1:30 p.m. on Sundays.

Older persons from around the state met in the State House Dec. 3, 1975 to discuss the legislation proposed by the Interim Joint Study Committee of the Legislative Council. Here Rep. Mendle Adams of Marion explains how to get bills passed by the General Assembly.

Bicentennial Plans Made

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Several communities have initiated projects to record the recollections of those individuals who lived and worked through much of the nation's second hundred years.

Tapes or transcriptions of these oral histories will be stored in libraries where they will be available to future scholars.

Another sort of Bicentennial project is that which draws attention to current problems in the United States and points out the directions the "continuing American Revolution" should take during the next hundred years.

For example, the national theme of this May's Older Americans Month will be a definition of the rights and obligations of Older Americans.

And, in Indianapolis, a project organized by Mrs. Emma Johnson, director of Operation Late Start, will develop in-home services for the elderly, including home delivery of groceries.

This project is part of Operation Independence, an official Bicentennial project sponsored by the National Voluntary Organizations for Independent Living for the Aged.

The Indiana Commission on Aging will incorporate a Bicentennial theme into most of the special events it sponsors during 1976, including the Senior Citizens Building at the State Fair, the annual Governor's Conference on Aging, and Senior Citizens Day at the Indiana Rose Festival.

Mature Living will run a Bicentennial column in each issue, featuring local Bicentennial activities. If any group is planning any special projects, it is requested to send this information to Miss Wanda McKee, Indiana Commission on Aging, 215 N. Senate, Indianapolis, IN 46202.

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Mar. 3 Workshop On Home-Bound

A state-wide workshop designed for those who deliver services to home-bound elderly is scheduled for March 3 in Bloomington.

The emphasis of the workshop will be on improving nutrition service.

Speakers at the workshop will include Dr. Elizabeth Grossman, dean of the I.U. School of Nursing; Mrs. Sharon Isaacs, director of staff development at Methodist Hospital in Indianapolis; Mr. Mark Laker of the educational division of the State Board of Health; Mrs. Oliva Bennet, professor of foods and nutrition at Purdue; Mrs. Peg Pettis, consultant nurse with the division of nursing of the State Board of Health; and Ms. Barbara Dailey, assistant professor of community health nursing at the I.U. School of Nursing.

Anyone interested in attending the workshop should contact Ms. Dailey at the I.U. School of Nursing, 1100 W. Michigan St., Indianapolis, IN.

Mr. Morey

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AARP Names State Officers

Maurice G. Morey of South Bend is the new state director of the American Association of Retired Persons (AARP). He replaces C. W. Hemmer of Richmond, who has moved to the position of Region 5 training specialist.

Assistant state directors are Dr. Edison W. Kochenderfer of Rochester for the northern part of the state and Ernest E. Ittner of Indianapolis for the central part.

An assistant director for southern Indiana has not yet been named.

AARP is a national organization of persons 55 and older. In addition to receiving a newsletter and the magazine *Modern Maturity,* members have access to services ranging from information about retirement living to group insurance.

Membership is $2.00 a yea
$5.00 for three years, accordin
Mr. Morey.

There are approxima
143,380 members and 41 chap
in Indiana.

Mr. Morey lists several goal
has set for Indiana AARP du
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in national programs."

"While we have a large mem
ship," he explains, "the chap
are not sufficient to allow
members to attend as much driv
is involved."

Mr. Morey invites any
interested in AARP members
or in working to develop a cha
to contact him at 1630 Linc
Way East, South Bend, IN 466

PBS Broadcasts "Images of Aging"

A series of eight hour-long programs entitled "The Images of Aging" will be shown on public television stations throughout Indiana during January and February.

Produced by WITF in Hershey, Pennsylvania, under a grant from the Corporation for Public Broadcasting, the series is "designed to stimulate an examination of attitudes by looking at the pro
of growing old and the eld
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THE CHRONICLE 8 Wednesday, October 20, 1976
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Activities Planned At Senior House Include Vacation Movies

Home movies will be presented by Dale Renschler of Lexington to senior citizens gathered at the Scott County Senior House today (Wednesday), announced Mary Naylor, assistant site director, this week.

The movies will be shown following that day's meal, she said, and all persons are invited to attend.

On Thursday, senior citizens will enjoy a ceramics class at 1:00 p.m., and on Friday, Reverend N. T. Patton of the Austin Christian Church will be the guest minister for devotions that day, Mrs. Naylor stated.

The assistant site director reported that 100 meals were served during a holiday-shortened week beginning October 12 with an additional 101 lunches being carried out by volunteers Nadine Carter and Judy Cozart that week, she related.

It was also advised that senior citizens having signed up for free discount cards which, at participating businesses, allows them to receive discounts on purchases, may now pick them up at the local Senior House.

About 40 cards are now available noted volunteer Chris Lindblad.

Meals scheduled for the last week in October includes for MONDAY: Fried chicken, baked potato with sour cream, green beans, white bread, apricots, and cheese slices; TUESDAY: Meat loaf with tomato gravy, mashed potatoes, chopped broccoli, white bread, peaches, and peanut butter; WEDNESDAY: Chicken and rice casseole, mixed vegetables, organge juice, coconut cream pie, and raisins; THURSDAY: Beef, tomato, and macaroni casserole, buttered corn, pears, ice cream, and cheese slices; and FRIDAY: Northern beans and ham, baked apples, kale greens, corn bread, a cup cake, and peanut butter and crackers.

Next week will be the last week that senior citizens must call in their lunch reservations by 1:00 p.m. the previous day, it was noted, as the time change is scheduled to occur Sunday, October 31.

The telephone number to call is 752-4134, said Mrs. Naylor, and any citizen over age 60 living in Scott County is eligible to participate in the meals program at the center.

Disabled persons over that age who are unable to cook for themselves can also participate in the lunch carryout program, she stated.

Information on both is available at the Senior House, it was related.

THE CHRONICLE A3 Wednesday, October 27,1976
Scottsburg, Indiana

Senior House Attendance Totals 285 For Lunches

The Scott County Senior House had one of its biggest weeks between October 18 through 22, according to figures released this week by Marge Julian, center site director.

Mrs. Julian reported that 141 hot lunches were served at the Senior House with two volunteers Nadine Carter and Daisy Hill, carrying out 144 additional meals at noontime for elderly shut-ins unable to cook for themselves.

The site director said that more volunteers are needed for the carry-out program and invited interested clubs or individuals to call the Senior House at 752-4134 for more information.

Along with the daily lunches serviced at the site, more entertainment for senior citizens has been scheduled for the latter part of this week and next week, Mrs. Julian advised.

Today (Wednesday), girls from Scottsburg High School's chapter of the Sunshine Soicety will be visiting the Senior House to celebrate Halloween with those present, the site director stated.

On Thursday, the ceramics class will be held as usual at 1:00 p.m., and as a special treat, the Scott County Musical Neighbors will perform between 1:00 p.m. and 3:00 p.m. for the listening enjoyment of Senior House visitors.

Reverend Leonard Houston of the Bethel Baptist Church will be the guest minister Friday, October 29, at the regularly-scheduled devotions hour that day, Mrs. Julian related.

For next week, Mrs. Julian stated that the blood pressure clinic will be conducted as usual Tuesday, November 2, from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m., although the center itself will be closed for normal activities that day and no meal will be served at noon.

Lunches planned for the remaining four days include for MONDAY: Baked ham, kale greens, buttered corn, rye bread, pears, and cheese slices; WEDNESDAY: Beef barbecue sandwich, broccoli, applesauce, custard pie, and raisins; THURSDAY: Meat loaf with tomato gravy, burssel sprouts, baked potato with sour cream, white bread, apricots, and peanut butter; and FRIDAY: Chicken and dumplings, stewed tomatoes, green beans, white bread, peaches, and cheese and crackers.

Senior citizens over age 60 wishing to make reservations for meals may call the Senior House at 752-4134 before 2:00 p.m. the previous day, noted Mrs. Julian.

Nutritious meals are served to senior citizens with those participating in the program asked to contribute according to their income.

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Scottsburg, Indiana

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Hot Lunch Program At OVO Center In Austin Resumes

The hot lunch program conducted Monday through Wednesday at the Austin Ohio Valley Opportunities (OVO) center was resumed recently with the coming of better weather.

Office manager Mary Riley stated that last Monday and Wednesday 38 lunches were either eaten at the center or carried out to elderly shut-ins by volunteers.

Last Tuesday, the center was the site of the monthly OVO Senior Citizens pitch-in lunch and blood pressure clinic. Scott County Ambulance Service technicians John Adams and Roger Morris checked 32 persons' blood pressure that day, Mrs. Riley reported.

She said the next free blood pressure clinic would be held at the center on Tuesday, March 8 between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 12 noon.

Meals to be offered at the center for February 21 through 23 will include for MONDAY: Chicken pot pie, stewed tomatoes, green beans, and fruit Jello; TUESDAY: Country fried steak, fried apples, cottage cheese with tomato wedge, and cake; and WEDNESDAY: Barbecued pork chops, mashed potatoes, white beans, and apricots.

Reservations for meals must be made by calling the center at 794-2914 before 4:30 p.m. the previous afternoon, Mrs. Riley stated.

The center is located at the corner of Plum Street and U.S. Highway 31 South in Austin.

Homecoming Pumpkin Baking Winners Named

The fifth annual Harvest Homecoming Pumpkin Baking Contest at McDonald Sewing Center had a total of 58 entries. That represents an increase of 24 over last years 34 entries. Of the 58 entries there were 10 pie, 12 cake, 22 bread and 14 cookie entries.

The winners in the pie catagory were Nancy Rogers, 1st place; Emma Ford, 2nd place; and Brenda Howerton, 3rd place. Cake winners were Bobbie Mathews, 1st place; Trillis Humphrey, 2nd place; and Calene Mattingly, 3rd place. Winners in the bread catagory were Karen Nelson, 1st; Sharon Kruel, 2nd; Pat Stepro, 3rd. Cookie winners were Ethel Nicholson, 1st; Retta Brown, 2nd; and Bonita Ford, 3rd. The first place winners ranged in age from 11 to 72 years of age.

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An item that has made its second appearance since the beginning of the Harvest Homecoming is the Pumpkin Bake-Off Cook Book. This year's edition featuring last year's winners can be obtained from the Council on Aging office at 317 E. 5th St., New Albany (948-8873).

Here are the recipes of the first place winners.

PINWHEEL PUMPKIN PIE
By NANCY ROGERS

4 eggs, beaten
1 lb. 13 oz. can pumpkin
1 cup granulated sugar
½ cup brown sugar (firmly Packed)
½ tsp. salt
2½ tsp. cinnamon
2 tsp. ginger
1¼ tsp. nutmeg
1 cup milk
1 two thirds cup sweetened condensed milk
2-9" pastry shells (unbaked)

Mix above ingredients. Place in shells and bake at 425 degree oven for about 25 minutes or until an inserted knife comes out clean.

TOPPING

1 can sliced peaches (1 lb.)
1 jar peach preserves (12 oz.)

Drain peaches and pat dry with a paper towel. Heat preserves, take a peach slice on a fork and dab into preserves and place on top of a cooled pie (pinwheel stripe). Chill well before serving.

PUMPKIN CAKE
By BOBBIE MATHEWS

2 cups sugar
4 eggs
1 cup Wesson oil
2 cups pumpkin
2 tsp. baking soda (dissolved in small amount of warm water)
2 cups sifted flour
1 tsp. baking powder
2 tsp. cinnamon
½ tsp. salt

Mix sugar, eggs, oil and baking soda together. Add dry ingredients and mix well. Add pumpkin and mix again. Pour into a well greased and floured bundt cake pan (or a 13" x 9" pan). Bake at 350 degrees for 35-40 minutes.

Cool at least 10 minutes and turn out on a cake plate. Cool completely before frosting.

CREAM CHEESE ICING

6 ozs. cream cheese (room temp.)
2 stick margarine (room temp.)
1 box powdered sugar
2 tsp. vanilla
1 cup chopped walnuts

Combine cream cheese and margarine. Add sugar and vanilla. Beat well. Stir in the nuts and frost cake after it has cooled.

PUMPKIN BREAD
By KAREN NELSON

3 cups sugar
4 beaten eggs
1 cup melted butter
1 tsp. vanilla
1 tsp. cinnamon
1 small can pumpkin (18 ozs.)
two thirds cup water
3½ cups flour
1½ tsp. baking soda
1 tsp. nutmeg
1 cup nuts

Mix all ingredients together and bake at 350 degrees for 1 hour. Bake in tin cans filled half full.

ORANGE PUMPKIN COOKIES
By ETHEL NICHOLSON

1 box spice cake mix
2 eggs
two thirds cup pumpkin
one third cup undiluted orange juice concentrate
1 tsp. cinnamon (or cloves)
one third cup water

Mix all ingredients together and pour into greased pan. Bake at 350 degrees until done and cool. Pour on glaze and cut into squares.

GLAZE

1 cup confectioners sugar
1 Tbsp. orange juice concentrate

Combine above and put on cookies before cutting into squares.

BAKING WINNERS — The four first place winners in the Harvest Homecoming Pumpkin Baking Contest line up with their trophies. From left are, Nancy Rogers, Pinwheel Pumpkin pie; Bobbie Mathews, Pumpkin Cake; Karen Nelson, Pumpkin Bread and Ethel Nicholson, Orange Pumpkin Cookies. There were 58 entries in the contest this year.

Polly's Pointers

Reader Allergic To Rubber-Backed Rug

By Polly Cramer

DEAR POLLY — I hope someone can suggest a way to remove an odor from my new rubber backed kitchen carpet. I am allergic to it. After three months, it is just about as bad as when new, even though we have three fans blowing on it night and day and plenty of ventilation. Damp weather makes it even worse. This carpet was glued down. Could it be the glue that smells?

My Pet peeve concerns the perfume that is added to soaps and many cosmetics that are ruined by its use. We can obtain perfume in scents we like and use it as desired. — IN TROUBLE.

DEAR IN TROUBLE — The carpet cleaners I spoke with had little advice to offer and said it could be backing, fibers in the carpet itself or the glue. Professional cleaners and installers have a deodorant for smoke odor and its use might cover up the odor but would not eliminate it. Have you spoken with the firm that installed your carpet? I could only suggest that you try (test in an inconspicuous spot first) spraying with that well known household spray that eliminates household odors. If anyone has solved such a problem do let us know. — POLLY.

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½ tsp. salt
2½ tsp. cinnamon
2 tsp. ginger
1¼ tsp. nutmeg
1 cup milk
1 two thirds cup sweetened condensed milk
2-9" pastry shells (unbaked)

Mix above ingredients. Place in shells and bake at 425 degree oven for about 25 minutes or until an inserted knife comes out clean.

TOPPING

1 can sliced peaches (1 lb.)
1 jar peach preserves (12 oz.)

Drain peaches and pat dry with a paper towel. Heat preserves, take a peach slice on a fork and dab into preserves and place on top of a cooled pie (pinwheel stripe). Chill well before serving.

PUMPKIN CAKE
By BOBBIE MATHEWS

2 cups sugar
4 eggs
1 cup Wesson oil
2 cups pumpkin
2 tsp. baking soda (dissolved in small amount of warm water)
2 cups sifted flour
1 tsp. baking powder
2 tsp. cinnamon
½ tsp. salt

Mix sugar, eggs, oil and baking soda together. Add dry ingredients and mix well. Add pumpkin and mix again. Pour into a well greased and floured bundt cake pan (or a 13" x 9" pan). Bake at 350 degrees for 35-40 minutes.

Cool at least 10 minutes and turn out on a cake plate. Cool completely before frosting.

CREAM CHEESE ICING

6 ozs. cream cheese (room temp.)
2 stick margarine (room temp.)
1 box powdered sugar
2 tsp. vanilla
1 cup chopped walnuts

Combine cream cheese and margarine. Add sugar and vanilla. Beat well. Stir in the nuts and frost cake after it has cooled.

PUMPKIN BREAD
By KAREN NELSON

3 cups sugar
4 beaten eggs
1 cup melted butter
1 tsp. vanilla
1 tsp. cinnamon
1 small can pumpkin (18 ozs.)
two thirds cup water
3½ cups flour
1½ tsp. baking soda
1 tsp. nutmeg
1 cup nuts

Mix all ingredients together and bake at 350 degrees for 1 hour. Bake in tin cans filled half full.

ORANGE PUMPKIN COOKIES
By ETHEL NICHOLSON

1 box spice cake mix
2 eggs
two thirds cup pumpkin
one third cup undiluted orange juice concentrate
1 tsp. cinnamon (or cloves)
one third cup water

Mix all ingredients together and pour into greased pan. Bake at 350 degrees until done and cool. Pour on glaze and cut into squares.

GLAZE

1 cup confectioners sugar
1 Tbsp. orange juice concentrate

Combine above and put on cookies before cutting into squares.

BAKING WINNERS — The four first place winners in the Harvest Homecoming Pumpkin Baking Contest line up with their trophies. From left are, Nancy Rogers, Pinwheel Pumpkin pie; Bobbie Mathews, Pumpkin Cake; Karen Nelson, Pumpkin Bread and Ethel Nicholson, Orange Pumpkin Cookies. There were 58 entries in the contest this year.

Polly's Pointers

Reader Allergic To Rubber-Backed Rug

By Polly Cramer

DEAR POLLY — I hope someone can suggest a way to remove an odor from my new rubber backed kitchen carpet. I am allergic to it. After three months, it is just about as bad as when new, even though we have three fans blowing on it night and day and plenty of ventilation. Damp weather makes it even worse. This carpet was glued down. Could it be the glue that smells?

My Pet peeve concerns the perfume that is added to soaps and many cosmetics that are ruined by its use. We can obtain perfume in scents we like and use it as desired. — IN TROUBLE.

DEAR IN TROUBLE — The carpet cleaners I spoke with had little advice to offer and said it could be backing, fibers in the carpet itself or the glue. Professional cleaners and installers have a deodorant for smoke odor and its use might cover up the odor but would not eliminate it. Have you spoken with the firm that installed your carpet? I could only suggest that you try (test in an inconspicuous spot first) spraying with that well known household spray that eliminates household odors. If anyone has solved such a problem do let us know. — POLLY.

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The Members Of The
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Cordially invite you to attend
an appreciation dinner
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at
McCormick Creek State Park
November 17, 1976
7:00 P.M.

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The Tribune-New Albany, Indiana Mon. Jan. 17, 1977

New lunch program for the elderly opens in New Albany today

By JOE HOLWAGER
Courier-Journal Staff Writer

A federally funded program to provide the elderly with noon meals began more than three years ago in Indiana with 175 persons sitting down to lunch at six sites in Clark, Floyd and Harrison counties.

"We thought we were setting the world on fire," said Thelma Bertrand, executive director for the South Central Council for the Aging and Aged.

Today, about 550 meals are served daily in a four-county area that now includes Scott.

The popularity of the Title VII Nutrition Program is further demonstrated by the planned opening today of a new meal site—expected to be the largest—at Riverview Towers apartments in New Albany.

Riverview Towers, a high-rise public housing project, is home for 178 elderly persons.

About 150 of them have made reservations for lunch today, and the total could exceed the number at the six sites when the program was launched Oct. 8, 1973.

The program has been operating at capacity for some time, and the opening of the new meal site will force the closing of an existing one, Mrs. Bertrand said.

The residents at another of New Albany's public housing projects, William O. Vance Court, agreed to the closing of their site, she said. About 15 persons ate the meals served there daily.

Those residents now will be transported to Riverside Towers by vans owned by the council.

The nutrition program, an outgrowth of the Older Americans Act of 1965, was developed to provide the elderly with low-cost, nutritionally sound meals. It is aimed largely at persons with low incomes.

However, the social benefits of the daily gathering, may be as important to many as the nutrition.

Mrs. Bertrand said that, when the program was started, residents at Clark Arms, a public housing complex in Jeffersonville, were not sure whether they wanted to take part.

"Only a few came down for lunch and then they only stayed as long as it took to eat," she said. "Then after awhile, some more decided to come down, but they just wanted to take a tray and go back up to their rooms."

"Now we find they come early and stay late," Mrs. Bertrand said. "They enjoy each other. They really do."

Card parties, games, ceramics and crafts classes, musical entertainment and outings often follow the meals.

"They're excited about it," Howard McLean said of the Riverview Towers residents' reaction to the opening of the new meal site.

McLean, executive director of the New Albany Housing Authority, said he expects that on the average more than 100 persons will eat daily at the new meal site.

Most of the apartments there are singles, and McLean said elderly persons living alone often neglect good nutrition. He said coffee for breakfast, a cookie for lunch and an evening meal is the daily diet for many.

"Nobody's going to cook a balanced meal for one person, and they don't," McLean said.

Of the 550 persons eating meals provided through Title VII, about 425 go to the meal sites in the four counties. An-

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The Courier-Journal, Monday, January 17, 1977

Lunch program opens today for elderly in New Albany

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other 125 meals are delivered to persons unable to leave their homes.

Many who are unable to get to the meal sites are given rides in vans owned by the council.

The meals, which are catered by a New Albany restaurant, cost the council $1.25 each. The elderly, persons 60 and older, are asked to pay what they can.

Mrs. Bertrand said that the council receives enough federal money to pay for about 340 meals daily. It is able to stretch that to 550, however, through local contributions.

All except one of the buildings where the meals are held are rent free. The Church Women United deliver practically all the meals to those who are shut-ins. Area financial institutions pay for the napkins and placemats.

"We're pretty frugal," Mrs. Bertrand said. "We know how to stretch it."

The meal sites are in New Albany, Jeffersonville, Scottsburg, Charlestown and Corydon.

Where next, after Riverview Towers?

"We're getting a lot of requests for meal sites out in the counties," Mrs. Bertrand said. "We feel our next move ought to be in the rural areas."

The Scott County JOURNAL 3 Thursday, November 11, 1976
Scottsburg, Indiana

New Menu Of Lunches Releaed For Austin OVO Center Progam

The menu for hot lunches now being served Monday through Wednesday, excepting holidays, at the Ohio Valley Opportuniities (OVO) program center in Austin was released recently for November 15 through 17 by Mrs. Mary Riley, center director.

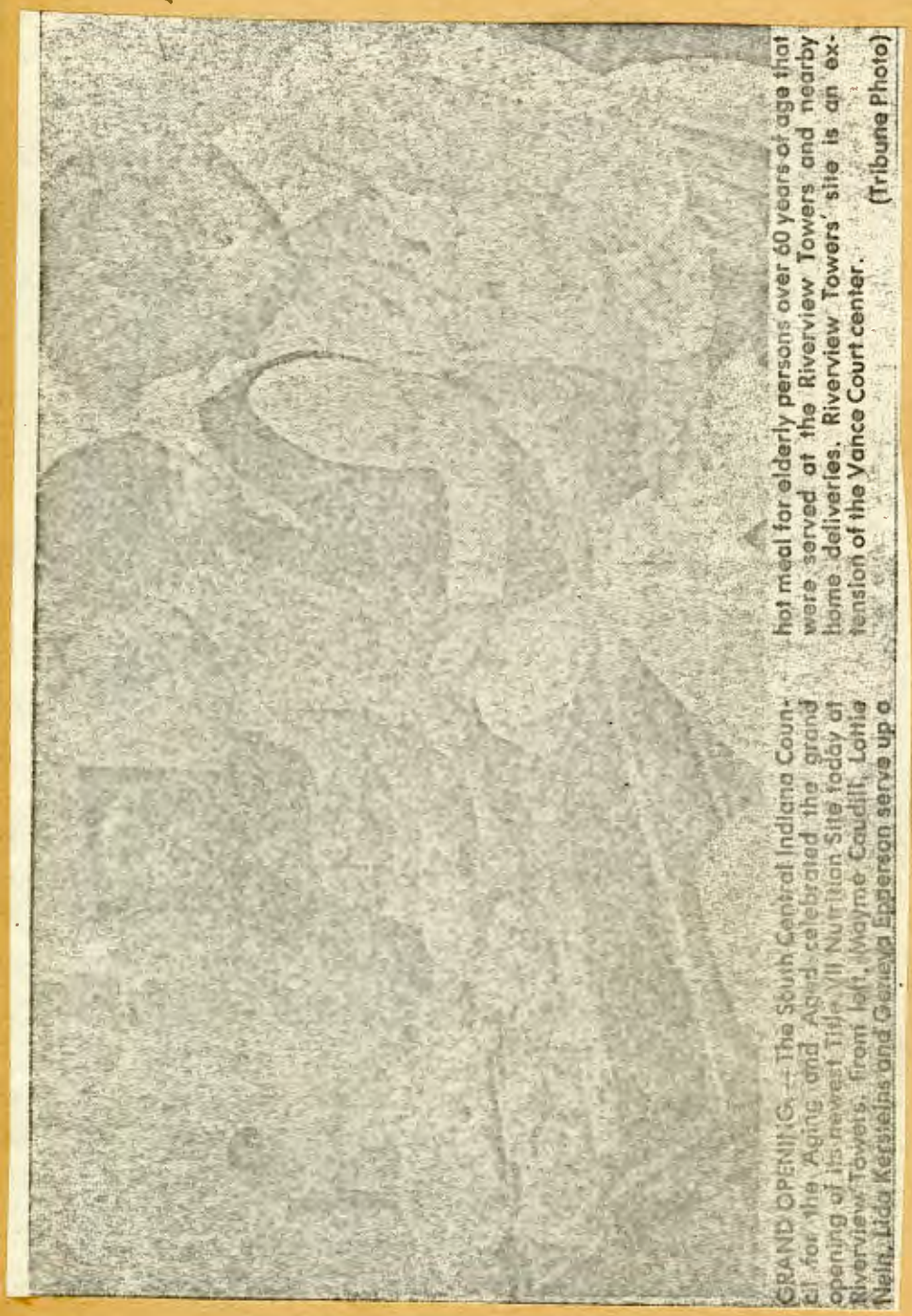
According to Mrs. Riley, Monday's meal will include roast beef and noodles, green beans, tossed salad with dressing, and fruit with Tuesday's lunch featuring chicken and dumplings, lima beans, cole slaw, and coconut cream pie.

On Wednesday, those participating in e meals program will be ved ham and beans, must greens, corn bread, fried ptoes, and apple pie, alor with a selection of bever.

All reservatic for the program must balled into the center by 4:p.m. the previous day, it s noted. The center's nurer is 794-2914.

Elderly shut-s in the Austin area who e unable to cook for themsel-s are also encouraged to ll for information about the lunch program's carry-ut service, Mrs. Riley advise.

The attendance for the three days of meals last week totaled 55 lunches served, she said.



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AGENCIES RECEIVING FUNDS THRU SUB-CONTRACT
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Employment Services Adult Sewing Classes	288-6219
Floyd County Extension Service Nutrition Education	948-1141

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Nellie Faith

Food Servers

Florence Baker
Mayme Caudill
Geneva Epperson
Lida Kersteins
Mildred Lentz
Lottie Nein

Beverage Servers

Elizabeth Burns
Florence Trusner

Hostesses

Margaret Bailey
Ethel Cox
Janet Crosby
Voila Hawkins
Mary Herd
Betty Hockensmith
Leona Lyskowinski
Helen Mukes
Catherine Nale
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Alice Smith

Piano Selections

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EVENING NEWS

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Clark Hospital Reports:

'Eye Lense' Implants Are Highly-Successful

Clark County Memorial Hospital administrator Benedict Hesen stated today that for the first time in Southern Indiana, intraocular lens implants are being performed at the local hospital.

While the operation is a relatively new surgical procedure in the United States, it has been used in other parts of the world since 1949, Hesen noted.

The administrator said that the first implat was performed by a local ophthalmologist (eye surgeon-physician) in October of 1975 and since that time, more than 40 implants have been performed here and "many more are scheduled."

Special Training

The hospital and the ophthalmologist purchased special equipment to allow him to perform this surgery and a four-member nursing team received specialized training in the highly-skilled techniques required to assist the surgeon, Hesen said.

The lens is made from a plastic, commonly known as Perspex or Plexiglass, which has solved the problem of permanently binding the lens implant in the eye. This material is completely compatible with the eye and is transparent, Hesen stated. Various styles and shapes are currently being used for different patients, based on patient's individual needs as determined by the ophthalmologist.

Lasting Span Cited

The plastic implanted in a person's eye is now known to last up to 27 years. As time goes on, it may be found to last for an indeifinite period, he added. "It is preferable to implant the intra-ocular lens at the time of cataract surgery in order to avoid the need for two separate surgical procedures," Hesen said. The intraocular lens transplant also has been used in the eyes of some children in cases where cataracts were due to an injury of the eye. The recovery period and return to full activities immediately after surgery is usually easier and faster than after a regular cataract operation with no increase in pain or discomfort, according to the administrator.

Near Natural Vision

"The intra-ocular lens implant offers former victims of cataracts and certain types of injuries vision as near natural as possible; meaning you have both normal, central and side vision restored which is not possible with thick, expensive, cataract lens glasses."

Contact lens offer natural vision, but there are problems with insertion and removal, cleaning and loss situations with which many elderly patients cannot cope. "Patients who have to rely on cataract glasses or cataract lenses after surgery are essentially blind without them; whereas, the intra-ocular lens patient can manager without glasses," Hesen said. Patients who have had the implant do not have to restrict any sports activities such as swimming.

History records that the idea of the intra-ocular lens implant originated with an Italian oc-

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MONDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1977

Plans Set For Eye Program

The Title VII Nutrition Program, sponsored by the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc., held a meeting to finalize plans for a special program on cataracts and other eye problems.

The program is scheduled for February 9, beginning at 12:30 p.m., at Wall Street United Methodist Church, Jeffersonville. Guest speaker for the evening will be Dr. Maurice John, opthalmologist from Jeffersonville.

Implants

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culist, Jacques Tardini in 1764. Dr. Harold R. Ridley, of London, is the physician who observed that fragments of plastic, broken from the canopies of British fighter planes used during World War II, had remained safely imbedded in the eyes of the pilots. He pioneered his first implant with plastic in 1949.

Prediction Accurate

Dr. Ridley, has stated, "I think the day is coming when we will no longer say to the patient, 'you have a cataract; it must be removed;' rather, 'your eye needs a new lens; we can insert one.'"

A hospital spokesman interviewed five persons who have had the intra-ocular lens implant and received comments from a woman in Sellersburg who said "It's a miracle. I live alone and it's enough to face old age without facing blindness, too. I could not read directions on my medicine bottles or recipes I wanted to try. Now just a short while since surgery, I am going to read my first book. A simple trip to the bathroom is no longer an ordeal."

"Now I Can See"

Another patient, from Clarksville, who had a cataract removed from one eye and was wearing cataract lens glasses, later had an intra-ocular lens implant in the other eye and began wearing a contact lens in the first eye. In this case, the lens implant allowed her good vision for the insertion of the contact lens which had been almost impossible prior to lens implantation, Hesen noted. "Before the implant, cataract glasses had enlarged objects so enormously that it was difficult for her to perform such an ordinary act as applying make-up.

A 92-year-old man from Sellersburg, stated, "I have felt no pain following surgery. I was practically blind in both eyes, wearing regular glasses. Now I can see."

Other patients from Clarksville and Jeffersonville had only praise for the results they have experienced, saying, "It's like a miracle to know we will have sight which is so natural."

MONDAY, JANUARY 17, 1977

Program On Eye Problems Is Set

Representatives from the Title VII Nutrition Program, a program of the South Central Indiana Council For the Aging and Aged, Inc., held a meeting to finalize plans for a special program of cataracts and other eye problems.

The program is scheduled for January 19, beginning at 12:30 p.m. at Clark Arms Apartments, Jeffersonville. Guest speaker will be Dr. Maurice Johns, opthalmologist from Jeffersonville.

Emergency Relief Given To Elderly

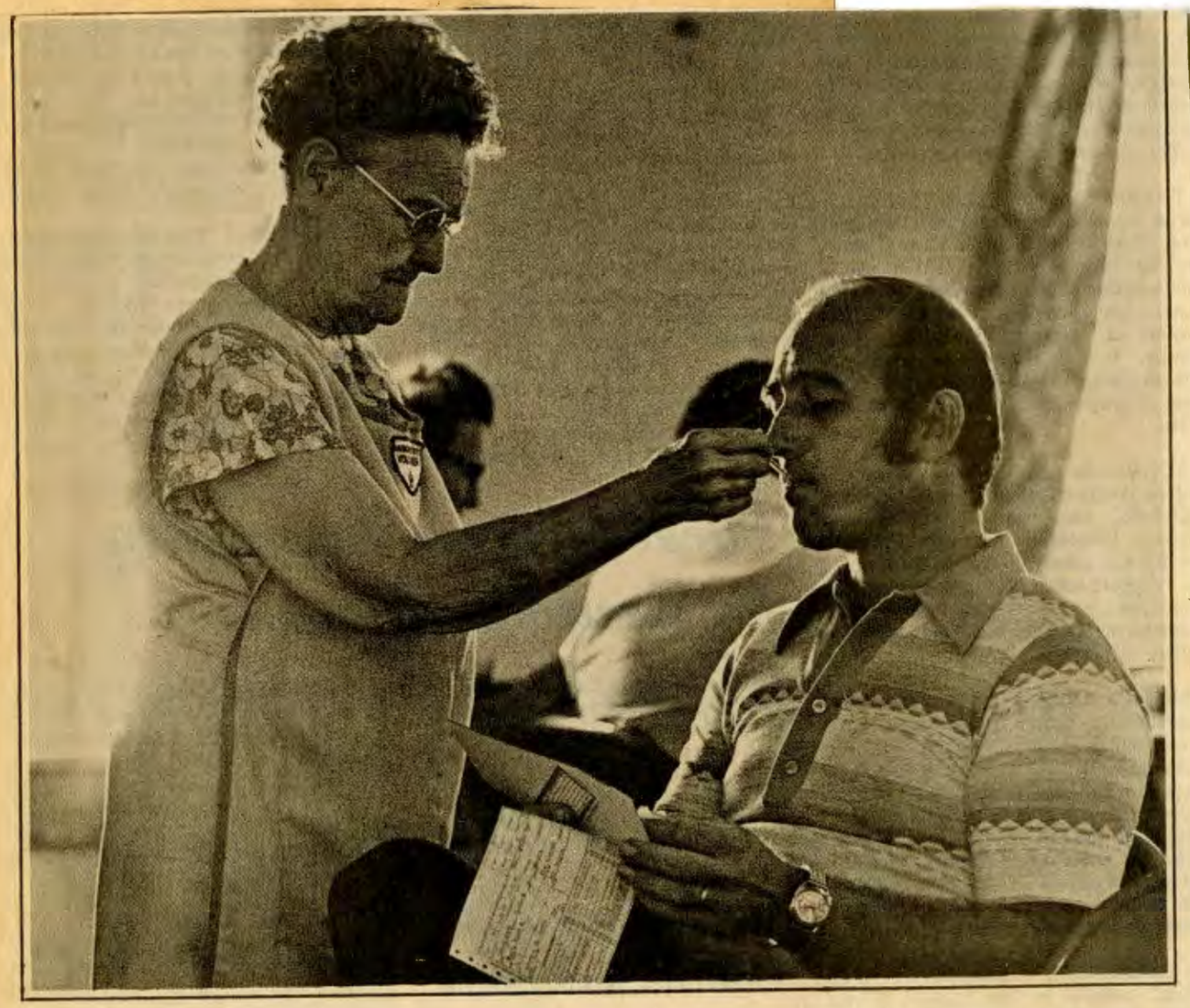
Emergency relief for the elderly was provided during the recent weather crisis by the Cooperative efforts of the Title VII Nutrition Program and the Indiana National Guard.

Working from 8 a.m. to 10 a.m., Sergeant Henry Ross, Private First Class Paul Lamm and Private First Class Rick Smith delivered commodity foods provided by the United States Department of Agriculture to senior citizens who were in need of nutritional food during the crisis.

Delivering in both Clark and Floyd Counties, the men of A Company 1-151 Mechanized Infantry of the Indiana National Guard, were assisted by the Headquarters Company. From 10 p.m. to 2 a.m., Roger Leidolf and Alvis Rue handled the transportation.

According to Mary Lukemeier, Title VII Nutrition Director, over 60 deliveries of food were completed with the cooperation of the National Guard and local sherriff's departments. Title VII is a program of the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc.

An American Flag was presented to the Scott County Senior House recently by the General Charles Scott Chapter DAR in observance of American History Month. Making the presentation is Mae Hougland, left, to Marjorie Julian, center director, with Berniece Anderson, chapter regent.



'Now close your mouth'

Mrs. Ola Brandenburg, a volunteer at the American Red Cross "Bloodmobile," takes Roger Ehalt's temperature before he donated blood last week in Corydon. See story and photographs on page one, Sec. B.

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District Two of the Household of Ruth, held a banquet meeting in Jeffersonville. Pictured from left are R. E. Summers, Blanche Wells, Helen Barney, supervisor, Caroline B. Wells, Mary Orndorff and William E. Orndorff, past supeevisor.

Others attending the banquet meeting, pictured from left were Delores Oliver, Ovenia Dugan, Ernestine Brown, Ethel Vaughn, Katie Lawson, Bernice McMickens and Mary McCutchen. Not pictured were Helen Summers and Sara Johnson.

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Sunnaye Carroll will speak on foods and nutrition at noon Wednesday at the Watson Activities Center at the Ohio Falls CB Radio Club on Jeffersonville-Charlestown Pike. The program is sponsored by the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc.

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SOCIAL SERVICE WORKERS from five counties met at the Spring Hill School in Jeffersonville, along with the general public, to comment to a public hearing team on a proposed comprehensive social services plan funded by the federal government under Title XX of the Social Security Act. The money is distributed in Indiana by the Department of Public Welfare which conducted last evening's hearing.

Five-County Hearing Held On Social Services Plan

Representatives of social services organizations from Clark, Floyd, Harrison, Scott and Washington Counties met last evening at the Spring Hill School in Jeffersonville to discuss the "Comprehensive Annual Services Plan" for Indiana for the disbursement of federal money under Title XX of the Social Security Act of 1975.

The hearing was for the purpose of airing comments on the draft version of the state's plan to spend its share of the $2.5 billion which has been appropriated nationwide by the federal government.

The State Department of Public Welfare has been designated as the Indiana agency responsible for planning programs, their administration and supervision under the federal act. Last evening's hearing was one of 12 which will be conducted in specific geographic regions of the state.

Programs Listed

The programs proposed by the state were essentially a continuation of most of those currently in operation. They include: day activity programs for the developmentally-disabled, diagnostic and evaluation services for the developmentally-disabled, residential services for the developmentally-disabled, outpatient services for the mentally ill, day treatment for the mentally ill, residential services for the mentally ill, outpatient treatment for substance abusers (alcohol or drug), residence care for substance abuser[illegible] day activity programs for t[illegible] physically-disabled, and personal care assessment for the elderly.

Also included in the list of programs proposed were: day activity programs for the elderly, diagnostic services for offenders, day treatment for juvenile offenders, work-release and job-related services for offenders, drug and alcohol services for juvenile offenders, day care services for children, family planning services, counseling services and youth leadership programs.

Other Services

Other programs included in the State Comprehensive Services Plan were: homemaker and home health services, housing services, emergency shelter care for children, residential treatment services for children, adoption services, foster care services, information and referral services, preventing or remedying neglect abuse or exploitation of minors, and the preventing or remedying of neglect abuse or exploitation of adults.

Linda Smith of the Floyd County Community Action Agency said that reimbursement procedures used by the state in allocating funds were causing smaller agencies not to apply because the state presently operates the programs on a reimbursement basis. This requires the local agency in some programs to pay all costs before it is reimbursed if the program is not to be administered by the state.

She noted that other federal funds are based upon the level of use of Title XX money and cited figures which showed that the state lost $32.8 million in federal funds for food, nutrition and energy programs because of a reduction in allocations of Title XX money.

David White of the Jeffersonville Housing Authority, told the panel that some of the administrative requirements of the programs are so burdensome that the programs themselves become non-feasible because of the costs of paying for the administration. He said his department hopes that some of those administrative requirements can be eased, especially in areas where departments are dealing with more than one program and the same administrative structure could oversee the programs.

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The panel hearing the comments consisted of Mary Ghosh, chief supervisor of Field Operations, Division of Child Welfare — Social Services, State Department of Public Welfare; Brian Bosworth, Assistant Director, Division of Child Welfare — Social Services, State Department of Public Welfare; moderator Dr. Gary Steedly, director of the Floyd County Community Action Agency; Don Blinzinger, Chief Supervisor for Program Analysis and Planning, State Department of Public Welfare; Dan Fulton, Supervisor of Planning for the State Department; and Field Consultants Fred Miller and Bruce Killebrew, also with the Department of Public Welfare.

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H.I.E.F.S.S. MEETING

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Lunch	12:45 - 1:15
Program Mary Lukemeier Title VII - Nutrition Program	1:30 - 2:00
Business Meeting	2:00 - 3:00

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Mrs. Carter Begins Fulfilling Her Pledge

By Donnie Radcliffe
Washington Post Staff Writer

Armed with the influence of her husband's position and a determination that the White House will be "a place that people can turn to for help," Rosalynn Carter set out yesterday to focus attention on two fields of particular concern to her—the elderly and the mentally disabled—and the problems unique to each.

It was her first major move toward keeping some campaign promises of her own.

In a mid-morning address to 1,100 delegates to the 27th Annual Conference of the National Council on Aging, the First Lady announced a May 10 "roundtable discussion" on the aging at the White House, which she called "a first step" in her campaign pledge "to help personally."

Reading excerpts from four of the 3,000 letters she receives weekly on such subjects, she said their elderly authors represented old people everywhere who "struggle to stay warm, have decent clothes, decent food to eat, try to pay their bills and not be a burden to anybody."

She told of inviting representatives and experts from 17 lay and professional groups "to discuss the problems and also to seek solutions. I know there are many programs already for the elderly but the concern I have is that these programs do not reach the people they are supposed to reach."

She said she will seek greater coordination through "an agenda for channeling information about valid programs. I am determined that the White House will be a place that people can turn to for help. I am determined that the White House will be open and available for help."

Later, at the Department of Health, Education and Welfare, she participated in a meeting of the President's Committee on Mental Retardation, exhorting its 25 members to provide specific recommendations that could provide a basis for legislation her husband may propose.

She wanted recommendations on how to help families of the mentally retarded through programs similar to those offered families of alcoholics. She called for suggestions on training professionals to work with those families, ways to dispel the stigma of retardation and illness, and ideas on educating the public to "understanding and acceptance."

She had a word of advice, while she was at it. Knowing from experience that "if you give Jimmy specific, brief, understandable recommendations," the likelihood of results was better than if he is presented "reams" of text.

She wanted some answers herself, she indicated during presentations by heads of the committee's seven task forces.

"It distresses me to see funds cut," she told Dr. Cecil B. Jacobson, head of research and prevention. "I don't think we had enough in the first place."

By Ellsworth Davis—The Washington Post

HEW Secretary Califano joins the First Lady at meeting of President's Committee on Mental Retardation.

Rosalynn Carter had made "a good point but she didn't get a very good answer. In fact, less than $2 million goes into research on prematurity . . . Research and reproductive biology are important for prevention (of mental retardation) but nobody is really very interested."

HEW Secretary Joseph A. Califano Jr., however, was hopeful that "the next few years are going to mean to the handicapped and retarded some turmoil but the kind of progress the blacks made in 1960."

As for Rosalynn Carter, Califano, who is automatically chairman of the committee, which was established in 1966, was equally optimistic.

"It may be the best thing that's happened in this area isn't the direct election of Jimmy Carter," he said, "but the indirect election of Rosalynn Carter."

CHARLESTOWN, INDIANA MONDAY, APRIL 25, 1977

LEFT, RUBY HAMILTON, new site director with retiring director, Jean Frichhoeffer. +

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The new site director will be Ruby Hamilton. +

THE EVENING NEWS, JEFFERSONVILLE, INDIANA SATURDAY, AUGUST 6, 1977

A senior queen contest, consisting of contestants from Clark, Floyd, Harrison and Scott Counties, was held in Jeffersonville sponsored by the South Central Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc. Pictured in front, seated, is Ruth Kennedy, first place winner representing Scott County; second row, from left, standing, are Helen Mathis, first runner-up, Harrison County; Rebie Lentz, second runner-up, Clark County and Orpha Nash, third runner-up, Floyd County.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 1977 THE EVENING NEWS, JEFFERSONVILLE, INDIANA

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

Activities Center Being Planned

Representatives from the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged, Inc. held a meeting to discuss plans for the opening of a nutrition Site and Day Activities Center in Henryville.

In order to acquaint the community with the program, services offered through the Council and possible employment opportunities, a meeting is scheduled for November 14, beginning at 7:30 p.m., at the Henryville Community Presbyterian Church.

THE EVENING NEWS, JEFFERSONVILLE, INDIANA EDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1977

Spry 98-year-old Bell remembers, and writes, of the stockyards here

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where "it would be near a railroad." Bell has never been able to learn where the name came from.

Bell started at the yard as a $6-a-week "flunky." In a few years he had his own brokerage firm, buying and selling livestock. He later became stockyards secretary, vice-president and director. He worked full-time until nine years ago.

"I was a cattleman," he said proudly. "I could look at a steer and tell what he was thinking."

The Bourbon yard wasn't always predominantly a cattle yard.

"Hell, no." said Bell. "It was once a banner sheep market — up until about 20 years ago. We'd have 15,000 to 17,000 head a day."

"We had buyers from all over the eastern part of the country — Chicago and everywhere. They'd come in and buy these lambs. They were called Kentucky Bluegrass milk-fed lambs. They were known all over the United States. They were loaded on trains to Chicago called 'Lamb Specials.' They'd sidetrack passenger trains to let the 'Lamb Specials' go through."

What's the biggest change that has taken place in the Bourbon yard?

"Hell, I'll tell you what the biggest change has been. Originally, all of our stuff was driven in, cattle, hogs and sheep. We used to get a lot of stuff off the boat. They'd unload it at the wharf and drive it right up Main Street to the stockyard. I've seen as high as 400 and 500 hogs come right up Main."

"Then later on, everything came in by train, about 90 per cent of the receipts. Got 'em from St. Louis, everywhere.

"Once we had a load of goats come in from Georgia. We sold the goats. They didn't bring enough to pay the freight and yard charge.

"So a wire was sent to this fellow to send the difference — just a few dollars — that his goats didn't bring enough.

"He wired back, 'I ain't got no money. I got more goats.' "

Bell laughs as he tells his stories. He appreciates humor. He reached into a desk drawer and pulled out some yellow newspaper clippings. They were old Allan Trout columns from The Courier-Journal. Some of Bell's stories had appeared in the column.

Now most livestock is brought in by truck, cattle and hogs mostly. As Bell pointed out, the sheep are gone; as few as 20 or 30 come through some days. "Farmers don't want to work hard enough to raise them," he said.

Bell isn't exactly the farmers' best friend. Of their current dilemma in cattle, he said, "It's their own damn fault. They bought feeders at the highest price. Now they've got the high-priced feed and they're hurt."

What does the future hold?

"Cattle farmers are going to be all right," he said, with typical assurance, but he thinks it might take a while.

He recalled that shortly after the turn of the century he bought some cattle for $1.65 a hundred pounds. The same grade today would bring about $27 a hundredweight.

He recalled another occasion when he traded 12 sheep for a shepherd dog, then gave the dog to a hired hand for driving the sheep.

He and his hired hand were driving the sheep around rural areas, selling them one or two at a time.

Physically, Bell still is as quick as a lamb. Moving to a table to have his picture taken, he steps at a quick pace.

"Only trouble I have is a crick in my back," he said. "Nothing I want to do, though, that I don't do."

His cleaning woman said the only thing in his medicine cabinet is a Band-Aid.

"Have you ever been a drinking man?"

"I quit about five years ago."

"Do you smoke?"

"Yes, but I am trying to quit. I light four or five a day, take a couple of puffs, and throw the damn things away."

"When was the last time you saw a doctor?"

"About 15 or 20 years ago."

He explained that his sister had been a Christian Scientist, a faith that doesn't endorse conventional medicine, and that that probably influenced him.

He and his sister, Nellie B. Wilder, had lived together, he said, until she died last January at the age of 100.

Bell would like his book to commemorate his own 100th birthday.

"I've got this Farnsley gal putting it together," he said, referring to Mrs. Douglass C. Farnsley, a volunteer researcher for the Preservation Alliance. She says she will incorporate other research material with what Bell has.

The rattle of drills silences cobbler's shop

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finality that is the hallmark of death, a building inspector happened along, noticed the cracks, and declared the little cobbler shop unfit for human habitation.

Just like that, it was over.

And now, the building that somehow conjures up visions of the Wright Brothers' bicycle shop, of cobblestone streets and knee pants, of fat, mustachioed policemen eating apples and kids running through the street pushing metal rings, will probably become a parking lot.

It was a poignant moment for Cleve yesterday as he stood in the pre-Civil War shop and surveyed the machinery he'd soon be trying to sell.

"Ya know," he said, "a young fella just don't want to start here and learn a craft. Why, he can go to a factory now and make $3 an hour with all kinds of side benefits and vacations. And that's pretty hard to compete with."

Cleve started working in the shop in 1917 when his father, Frank Cleve, a German immigrant, bought it to handle the growing cobbler business he'd started in Louisville in 1885. When his father died in 1938, Cleve hired a young man, Bernard Lee Adams, and taught him the skills of his craft.

Adams stayed with the Cleves for 33 years—and was slated to inherit the entire operation. But about a month ago, Adams took ill and apparently will not return.

And the Cleves, childless, have no one else to carry on the family business.

"It's kind of sad," the 74-year-old Cleve said, "but people aren't interested anymore in creating with their hands. They'd rather hold a rivet gun in a factory.

"I can understand it in a way, though," Cleve continued. "It's the economy today. In most families today, both the man and the woman are out working. The cost of living demands it. I just don't know where things are going.

"I don't know what's going to happen, but it's a thing I think will come to a showdown somewhere along the line."

As Cleve talked, he fondled pieces of equipment used in the mending of shoes. It was equipment that dates, in some cases, to the days of his father. He held each piece with pride, almost reverence.

He said he no longer has any desire to train a new man to take over, to carry on his skills as a shoemaker. Cleve said he's now ready to just step out and leave it all behind.

Back during the war, he said, when he mended some 25,000 pairs of shoes for the Charlestown, Ind., powder plant, there was business enough to train an assistant — and train one fast. But those days are gone.

"So we'll be trying to dispose of all this machinery now," he said softly with a wave of his hand. "And it's going to be hard to do — there aren't many of us left. In the shoe business, things are just bad all over."

The doors on the Frank Cleve's Custom Shoe Repair are now closed for good. And when the building is torn down, there will be little fanfare, little weeping and little concern for the dying craftsmanship that will crumble with it.

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READY FOR BAKERS—Memabers of the Harrison Homecoming Pumpkin Baking Contest committee met this week to complete plans for the annual contest Saturday Oct. 9, at 11 a.m. at McDonal Sewing Center. Committee members are seated, Mary Lukemeier, chairman of the Pumpkin Baking contest, and Roy McDonald, manager of McDonald Sewing Center. Committee members standing left to right, are Sunnye Carroll, area Food and Nutrition Extension Agent; Jurie Lindley and Alice Smith, both Public Service of Indiana Electric living consulatants.

(Photo by Vernon Niemeier)

BIRTHDAY SLICES—The Title VII Nutrition Program of the South Central Indiana Council for the Aged and Aging, Inc. celebrated its third anniversary of operation Friday with a birthday cake and luncheon for volunteers and dignitaries as well as the elderly served one hot meal daily (lunch) by the federally-funded program. Margaret Martin, left, and Marilyn Peel, both program volunteers, and Esther Newkirk, right, Parkview Towers site director, cut birthday slices from the cake for those in attendance.

(Tribune Photo)

Nutrition Program For Aged Notes 3rd Birthday

The Title VII Nutrition Program celebrated its third birthday of operation at the nine meal sites located in Area 14 on Friday, Oct. 8. Title VII is a program of the South Central Indiana Council for the Aging & Aged, Inc. and serves senior citizens in Clark, Floyd, Harrison, and Scott Counties.

Thelma Bertrand, executive director of the Council for the Aging, noted that three meal sites were opened three years ago in Floyd County and since then these sites "have provided nutritionally sound meals to people 60 years of age and older at a cost their budgets can afford."

In Floyd County, the hospitality-nutrition sites are located at Beechwood Community Center, Parkview Towers Highrise and Vance Court Recreation Center. Catered by Lancaster Catering, these sites serve a noon meal to over 350 residents of Floyd County each Monday through Friday.

Acknowledging the need for the nutrition program, Mary Lukemeier, Title VII Nutrition Director, stated that many health problems that develop in later years are a direct result of poor eating habits. Factors in declining nutritional health can be traced to the physical inability to cook well balanced meals, increased isolation generated by living alone, and a reduced income making the purchase of nutritious food a hardship on older Americans.

Attempting to eliminate poor eating habits by providing one well-balanced meal daily, the nutrition program also alleviates loneliness by providing a family type atmosphere at the various hospitality sites.

The nutrition program runs smoothly with the help of 3-5 volunteers daily per site, noted Mrs. Lukemeier. In addition to the meals served at the sites throughout area 14, 50 meals are delivered each day by volunteers and Green Thumb employees to shut-ins. "The nutrition program owes a debt of gratitude to Church Women United for organizing the volunteers that deliver meals to the home-bound elderly," commented Mrs. Lukemeier. "We also are grateful to the many volunteers through local churches and civic organizations and the Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) for their support of the nutrition program.

Joining in the festivities at Parkview Towers were: Howard McLean, director of New Albany Housing Authority, Harlan Mayfield, Tenant Service Director for the Housing Authority, Bob Carver, Representative from Kiwanis Club of Historic New Albany, Mrs. Lukemeier, and the many volunteers.

"Many of the volunteers who serve here at the Towers have helped since the program began, while others have served for a year or less," commented Esther Newkirk, Parkview Towers site director, "But they are all very special to me and to the program."

In the three-year period that it has been in operation, the nutrition program has increased from serving 150 meals a day to the present 500 meals per day. The current level of service is possible because of the fine cooperation provided by Council for Older Americans, RSVP, Green Thumb, the New Albany Housing Authority, Kiwanis Club of Historic New Albany, and the community.

"The nutrition program has received national acceptance to the extent that the demand far exceeds resources available," noted Mrs. Bertrand.

"We are currently awaiting the passage of a bill that would enable more meals to be served and new hospitality sites to be opened in neighboring small communities," added Mrs. Lukemeier.

More information concerning participation in and volunteering for the Nutrition Program can be obtained by contacting the Title VII Office (948-8873) 317 E. 5th St. in New Albany.

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New lunch program for the elderly opens in New Albany today

By JOE HOLWAGER
Courier-Journal Staff Writer

A federally funded program to provide the elderly with noon meals began more than three years ago in Indiana with 175 persons sitting down to lunch at six sites in Clark, Floyd and Harrison counties.

"We thought we were setting the world on fire," said Thelma Bertrand, executive director for the South Central Council for the Aging and Aged.

Today, about 550 meals are served daily in a four-county area that now includes Scott.

The popularity of the Title VII Nutrition Program is further demonstrated by the planned opening today of a new meal site—expected to be the largest—at Riverview Towers apartments in New Albany.

Riverview Towers, a high-rise public housing project, is home for 178 elderly persons.

About 150 of them have made reservations for lunch today, and the total could exceed the number at the six sites when the program was launched Oct. 8, 1973.

The program has been operating at capacity for some time, and the opening of the new meal site will force the closing of an existing one, Mrs. Bertrand said.

The residents at another of New Albany's public housing projects, William O. Vance Court, agreed to the closing of their site, she said. About 15 persons ate the meals served there daily.

Those residents now will be transported to Riverside Towers by vans owned by the council.

The nutrition program, an outgrowth of the Older Americans Act of 1965, was developed to provide the elderly with low-cost, nutritionally sound meals. It is aimed largely at persons with low incomes.

However, the social benefits of the daily gathering, may be as important to many as the nutrition.

Mrs. Bertrand said that, when the program was started, residents at Clark Arms, a public housing complex in Jeffersonville, were not sure whether they wanted to take part.

"Only a few came down for lunch and then they only stayed as long as it took to eat," she said. "Then after awhile, some more decided to come down, but they just wanted to take a tray and go back up to their rooms."

"Now we find they come early and stay late," Mrs. Bertrand said. "They enjoy each other. They really do."

Card parties, games, ceramics and crafts classes, musical entertainment and outings often follow the meals.

"They're excited about it," Howard McLean said of the Riverview Towers residents' reaction to the opening of the new meal site.

McLean, executive director of the New Albany Housing Authority, said he expects that on the average more than 100 persons will eat daily at the new meal site.

Most of the apartments there are singles, and McLean said elderly persons living alone often neglect good nutrition. He said coffee for breakfast, a cookie for lunch and an evening meal is the daily diet for many.

"Nobody's going to cook a balanced meal for one person, and they don't," McLean said.

Of the 550 persons eating meals provided through Title VII, about 425 go to the meal sites in the four counties. An-

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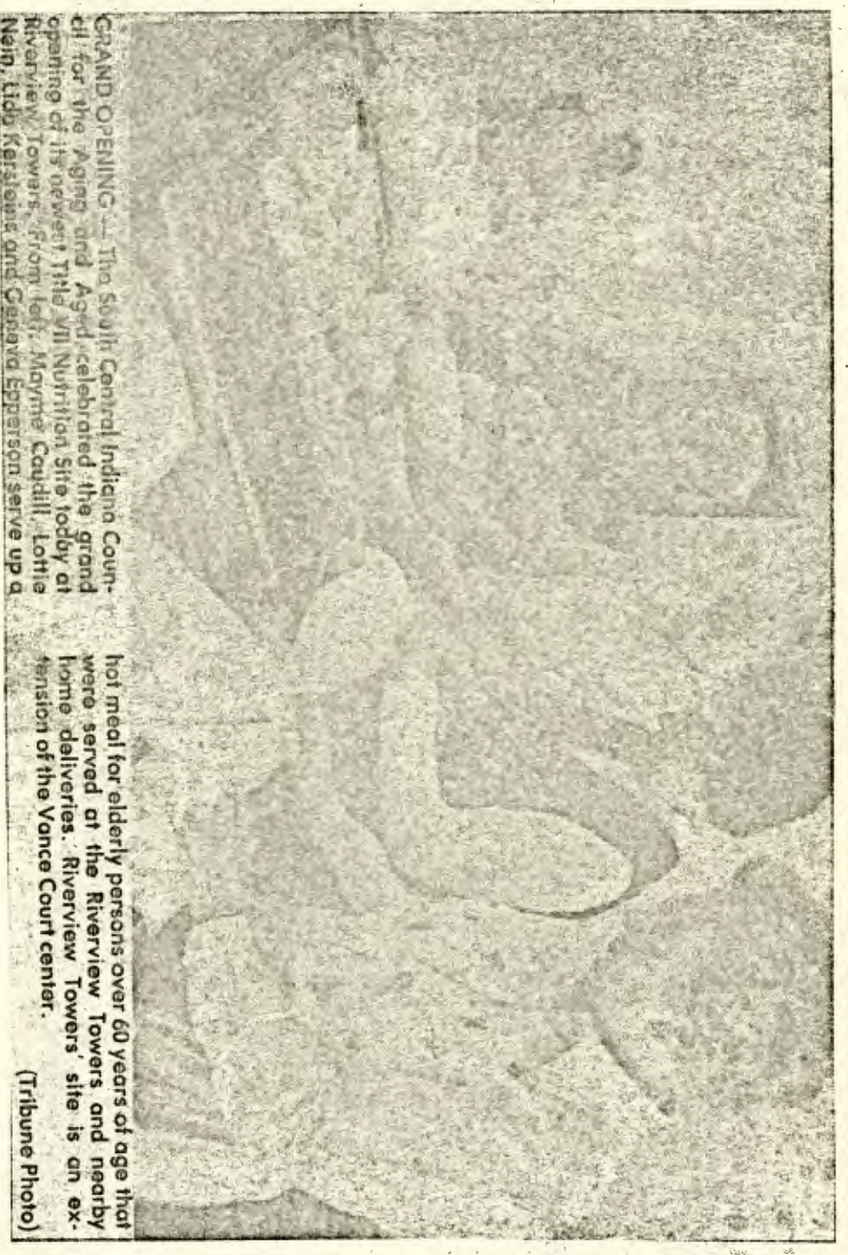

GRAND OPENING — The South Central Indiana Council for the Aging and Aged celebrated the grand opening of its newest Title VII Nutrition Site today at Riverview Towers. From left, Mayme Caudill, Lottie Nein, Lida Kersteins and Gesiva Epperson serve up a hot meal for elderly persons over 60 years of age that were served at the Riverview Towers and nearby home deliveries. Riverview Towers' site is an extension of the Vance Court center. (Tribune Photo)

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Lunch program opens today for elderly in New Albany

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other 125 meals are delivered to persons unable to leave their homes.

Many who are unable to get to the meal sites are given rides in vans owned by the council.

The meals, which are catered by a New Albany restaurant, cost the council $1.25 each. The elderly, persons 60 and older, are asked to pay what they can.

Mrs. Bertrand said that the council receives enough federal money to pay for about 340 meals daily. It is able to stretch that to 550, however, through local contributions.

All except one of the buildings where the meals are held are rent free. The Church Women United deliver practically all the meals to those who are shut-ins. Area financial institutions pay for the napkins and placemats.

"We're pretty frugal," Mrs. Bertrand said. "We know how to stretch it."

The meal sites are in New Albany, Jeffersonville, Scottsburg, Charlestown and Corydon.

Where next, after Riverview Towers?

"We're getting a lot of requests for meal sites out in the counties," Mrs. Bertrand said. "We feel our next move ought to be in the rural areas."